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The sun shines bright and most of us should be happy. God works wonders in His way.

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ZIMMERMAN MAY BE NOMINEE OVER FULBRIGHT TRAILS IN SCOTT COUNTY BY 500 BALLOTS

Orville Zimmerman, of Kennett, may be the nominee as the Democratic Congressional candidate from the 14th District, according to the expressed judgment of political observers Wednesday morning. In Scott County, Zimmerman trailed 1174 to 1704, a margin of 530 votes with six precincts still to be heard from.

Unofficial returns began to sift in late Tuesday night giving Zimmerman a lead of 4750 in his home county of Dunklin, and a narrow margin of 100 votes in Pemiscot. He lost Stoddard by 60. Fulbright's lead in Scott County may be as high as 800 when the final count is available.

The south end of Scott County was swamped in the Tuesday primary. J. Sherwood Smith defeated Hal Boyce in the County Clerk race by a margin of 251 votes. The count stood 2276 for Smith to 2025 for Boyce with all precincts accounted for.

T. F. Henry, the incumbent was defeated by Leo J. Pfefferkorn for the nomination to the office of Clerk of Circuit Court. Henry polled 1651 votes to 2658 for Pfefferkorn. Sikeston, Vanduser, McMullin, Rootwad, Miner and Lusk went to Henry while all other precincts in the county went heavily for Pfefferkorn.

Emil Steck, favorite in the north part of the county, was renominated over H. E. Dudley, the Sikeston champion, and L. P. Driskill of Oran, by a satisfactory majority of 608. Dudley had an easy eight-to-one lead in Sikeston, polling 884 to 127 and 55 for Steck and Driskill, respectively. Illmo and Fomfelt, however, were equally solid for Steck and cut down the early lead held by Dudley making the final count Steck 2303, Dudley 1007 and Driskill 455.

H. F. Kirkpatrick of Morley and Benton is the Democratic nominee for the office of Recorder over his opponent, Ralph Mattocks, of Chaffee. Kirkpatrick finished the race with a majority of 917, polling a total of 2543 to 1626 for Mattocks. Kirkpatrick was an easy favorite in most of the county precincts. However, Chaffee, Oran, Fomfelt and Sikeston turned out strong votes for the editor-candidate.

O. L. Spencer of Benton defeated T. B. Dudley of Sikeston in the nominee's race for the office of Probate Judge. Spencer polled 2410 votes to 1857 for Dudley giving him a majority of 653.

The entire county vote was light in accordance with pre-election predictions.

Incomplete returns give Brown Jewell a safe majority over Walker Taylor in the race for Constable of Richland Township.

Additional and probably more accurate returns will be found on another page of this issue.

'COTTON 66 PER CENT NORMAL' FOSSICK

An argument of nearly two months duration seems to be settled with some degree of finality, following the published announcement Wednesday in the Memphis Commercial Appeal by George L. Fossick that the cotton crop on August 1 was 66.4 normal.

The indicated probably production is 13,668,000 bales, says Fossick, "as compared with a condition 69.6 normal last August 1". The prediction last year was 15,543,000, indicating a shortage of some two million bales this year.

Growers here are divided upon the point of cotton damage by the present drought. That the crop will be cut is generally agreed, but the amount of damage is a controverted matter.

A new angle was presented this week on the corn crop situation. It is freely stated that the Sikeston area production of corn is cut from 40 to 60 per cent. However, one grower who has earned a national reputation as a grower of seed corn gives as his opinion that the total production will be cut from 40 to 50 per cent, but that the increased acreage this year may bring total production up to or only slightly below normal.

He points out that thousands of acres of rich bottom land which has laid idle for the past two or three years is under cultivation this year, and in 90 per cent of cases was planted to corn. This guess on the part of growers has in most cases proved to be correct. "Ridge" and "sandy" farms are burned up, and production of corn will be almost zero; whereas, corn, black bottom land, gives promise of a fair crop.

PIEDMONT BOY HERO MISSING FROM HOME

Poplar Bluff, August 5.—Edward Levill, 8, of Piedmont, applicant for a Carnegie hero medal for bravery, has been missing three days, according to officers at Piedmont today. Belief that he has been drowned or possibly kidnapped caused an extended search for him.

Last winter the boy saved a seven-year-old boy from drowning when the child broke through ice at a skating pond near Piedmont. His act attracted so much attention that the attention of the Carnegie Hero award was called to it, and a medal was sought.

He resided at the home of his uncle, Cleve Floyd.

GAIN TEN MEMBERS DURING TANNER BAPTIST REVIVAL

According to Rev. A. C. Rudloff, pastor of the local Baptist church, who has been conducting a revival in the Tanner community for the past week, a total of ten conversions are recorded to date. The meeting is being well attended, he states, and will continue this week.

LARGE CROWDS ATTENDING SERVICES IN MALONE PARK SATURDAY AND SUNDAY

Elder John B. Huffman, who is preaching in the band stand in Malone Park every Saturday evening and Sunday evening at 8 o'clock, announces good interest and attention and good crowds at each service.

He will preach on the streets Saturday afternoon about 2:30 in front of Sterling's 5 and 10 cent store—the shady park south of it. He invites all who can to be present.

Saturday evening at 8 o'clock Elder Huffman will talk on the famous "Battle of Armageddon", the spiritual battle between Christ and His saints and the devil and his armies and kings. Revelations, 16:16. This will be the greatest battle the world has ever known and all others will pale into insignificance beside it. If you know something about the Word of God or are a Bible scholar, it will do you good to hear this address. If you are not much acquainted with deep scriptural and spiritual things, you ought to hear this discourse anyhow.

Sunday evening at 8 o'clock, the speaker will preach on "Who is My Friend", or "There is a Friend That Sticketh Closer Than a Brother". Proverbs, 18:24.

Everybody invited to all services. Come and bring the children with you. There will be no respect of persons and all will be greeted with the same fellowship. Men and women, come in your every day clothes or in your finest apparel. Either way you choose. Don't absent yourself from service because of the lack of good clothes.

Glad to note that some of the most prominent people in town are attending the meetings in the park. Come again. Thank you.—John B. Huffman.

TREE SITTER CLAIMS RECORD WITH 375 HOURS

Jackson, Miss., August 1.—Robert Fritz, 9, passed the 375-hour mark today as a tree sitter and declares he will not come down, even if a private tutor has to be sent up the tree when school begins in September. A rainstorm yesterday failed to budge him from the chinaberry perch. He has a bicycle hung under a limb for exercise.

Chaffee, August 1.—Leon Crader, far ahead of the field in the tree sittingfad among boys, passed his 336th hour at 1 o'clock this afternoon. He started his endurance test in a tree at his home two weeks ago today.

Illmo, August 1.—John Gearing, last of Illmo's tree sitters, got tired and came down at 9 o'clock Thursday night after remaining aloft 252 1-2 hours. John went up to his perch in a tree Monday morning, June 21.

Sikeston's Coolest Store



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Business Is Good At Greener's —Here Are Some Reasons

Summer Dresses Much Lower

\$9.95 DRESSES
A limited number of \$9.95 dresses, in prints and solids—some strictly summer styles, others suitable for early fall wear. You can buy these now at half the regular price.

\$5.00

PONGEE DRESSES
Ideal for hot weather—comfortable enough, yet pretty enough to wear almost anywhere. Natural color, varied styles. Special at

\$1.95

\$1.95 WASH DRESSES
A group of 23 fast color print wash dresses, in the season's best styles. All colors, wonderful value at our reduced price of

\$1.25

Summer Values For Men

Linen Pants
White linen with blue plaid; pants of exceptional quality and very good looking. Reduced from \$2.98 to

\$1.98

Dress Shirts
Odd sizes and style from our stock of \$1.00 shirts, in white and colors. Special while they last, only

69c

SEERSUCKER PANTS
Just reduced. Our entire stock of men's seersuckers, formerly \$1.25. Reduced for quick clearance to

\$1.00

Duck Pants
White duck of good quality. Very popular for summer wear, and offered now at Greener's, at a lower price.

\$1.00

Men's Rayon Union Suits

In white, blue, lavender, peach and pink; a very popular and comfortable garment. Greener's lower price.

85c



More people every day are finding that Greener's is always the safest place to trade. At Greener's, prices are always lower—not merely on a few "leaders", but throughout the entire stock. At Greener's, merchandise is always dependable, honestly represented. At Greener's, Satisfaction is always guaranteed, or your money back.

French Net Hose
High grade hose of net, with satin clock. Buy now at Greener's lower price.

88c

Brassieres
Bandeau style, made of silk-faced satin; exceptional value in every way.

25c

A Special Group of Records
We have taken from our stock a number of old records, which have been marked down for quick clearance. These 35c records, while they last

25c

Women's New Felt Hats
White and panted shades, in the newest shapes and styles for wear now and through the early fall. See the values at

\$1.00 \$1.98

Flaxon
Our regular 33c Flaxon prints, in fast colors and beautiful designs.

25c

Fast Color Prints
36 inches wide, in blue, green and tan shirting patterns. Special

15c

Rayon Voile
Reduced from 98c; exquisitely colored floral designs, now only

69c

Dewtone Crepe
36 inches wide, a rayon crepe that looks twice its price. All solid colors.

49c

GUARDSMEN LEAVE SATURDAY FOR CAMP CLARK, FIND BETTER FACILITIES THIS YEAR

Fifty Company K National Guardsmen in charge of Capt. Rufus R. Reed and First Lieutenant Wade Shankle entrained Saturday afternoon for Camp Clark, Nevada, Mo., where they will spend their annual two weeks encampment.

The trip was made by train, via Missouri Pacific over the Belmont branch, to St. Louis and into Nevada early Sunday morning.

The following clipping from the Democrat-Argus, Caruthersville adequately describes the improved camp facilities.

National Guardsmen from this section of the State will find a much improved camp awaiting them at Camp Clark this year upon their arrival there Sunday for their annual training ground activities. A full section of land immediately adjoining the 640 acres which has been in use for a number of years has been purchased since the last annual encampment and for the first time in the history of State military activities range has been provided and the State's big gun unit has not been forced to go outside Missouri for its regular practice.

With the enlargement of the grounds and the consequent change of plans, the military units this year was sent to Camp Clark in two divisions. During the period from July 20th to August 3rd the 110th Engineers from Kansas City and the 203rd Coast Artillery occupied the grounds and upon their departure next Sunday they will be succeeded by the 140th Infantry from Southeast Missouri and the 138th Infantry from St. Louis, forming the two principal units. In addition there will be the Headquarters contingent, 70th Infantry Brigade; the State Staff Corps and Departments; Headquarters Company, 70th Infantry Staff Corps and Departments; Headquarters Company and Detachment, 35th Division, from Warrensburg; and the 35th Tank Company from St. Joseph. Their period of training is from August 3 to 17th. The entire outfit will be under command of Gen. W. A. Raupp of Pierce City, Mo.

A number of improvements have been made at Camp Clark during the past year. Perhaps the most important is the new deep well which pumps 250 gallons of water per minute. This with the recently erected 50,000-gallon tank, insures an ample supply of water for the camp. Four new dining halls have been built, making a total of 45. Each hall seats 72 men. The buildings are well screened and the mess kitchens built in connection are thoroughly modern and equipped with every facility for feeding large numbers of men.

In former years each company disposed of its own garbage by burning it just outside the mess kitchen. Queer odors, dense smoke, and the constant attention of a re tender were the chief disadvantages of this method. The new garbage incinerator, built this year at a cost of \$4000, will prove a decided convenience and earn the undying gratitude of dozens of K. P.'s. Thirty-five hundred dollars has been spent to improve the sewerage system of the camp, and four new shower baths have been installed. Five thousand dollars worth of paint brightens up the various buildings of the reservation, including the glittering metal roofs of the dining halls.

The reservation now comprises 1280 acres, an additional 640 acres having been purchased by the government and added to it since last year, as stated. Camp Clark is now considered one of the finest military reservations in the United States and is fully equipped to handle large bodies of troops.

U. S. INQUIRY INTO NEWSPAPER 'PUFF'

Washington, August 4.—The practice among certain newspapers of printing publicity material of firms which use their columns for advertising will be investigated by the Post-office Department.

The postal laws require that publicity matter published as editorial or reading matter be plainly marked "advertisement". Failure to comply with this provision subjects the publisher a fine of from \$50 to \$500.

Newspaper publishers have complained that advertisers threaten to withhold advertising unless their publicity is printed.

According to Assistant Postmaster Tilton, a publisher who complies with such a request may be guilty of contributing to an act of conspiracy against the Government. In case of conviction under this provision, both advertiser and publisher may be fined \$10,000 or imprisoned for two years.

FINDS WAY TO USE HONEY IN MAKING ICE CREAM

Urbana, Ill., August 5.—Honey, used in the human diet for centuries, has been cast in a new role as a result of experiments just concluded by the experiment station of the College of Agriculture, University of Illinois.

It was established that honey can be used satisfactorily to replace 50 to 100 per cent of the sugar in an ice cream mix, and in these proportions gives so distinct a flavor that a new and pleasing variety is obtained. Fourteen different honeys were studied in the experiment and twelve of these were actually used in making ice cream, thus giving a wide range of flavors.

SIKESTON CONTRACTORS LOW BIDDERS FOR ROADS

R. H. Potashnick of Sikeston was low bidder for building 1.1 miles of 18-foot gravel road in Bollinger County. Norman Davis of Sikeston was low bidder for 4 miles of 24-foot graded earth road in Stoddard County.

NEGROES WILL CELEBRATE WITH PICNIC AUGUST 8-9

Two celebrations are being planned for negroes in this district on August 8 and 9. Music, singing, dancing and eats are features on both programs. One will be held at LaForge and another in the Tanner neighborhood.

PLAN GALA DAY IN CAPE OCTOBER THIRD

Cape Girardeau is arranging for a big gala day for Southeast Missouri Friday, October 3, at which time the magnificent stadium of the Southeast Missouri State Teachers College will be dedicated and the annual game of football will be played with the Southern Illinois State Normal University of Carbondale, Ill.

It will be one of the biggest celebrations ever held in Southeast Missouri. A committee of business men of Cape Girardeau met Tuesday in Houck Field House to work out the preliminaries for the occasion and the Cape Girardeau Chamber of Commerce assumed responsibility for the city's participation.

The mayor of Cape Girardeau will declare a holiday for the occasion, assuring a large local attendance. Hundreds will come from Carbondale with their team.

The Governors of Illinois and Missouri have been invited, as have the elective State officers in Missouri. The presidents of the State University and the other State Teachers Colleges, and many have accepted the invitation.

All high schools of Southeast Missouri will be invited and each will be asked to name a maid of honor to represent it. All high school bands in the district will be invited to take part in the monster parade that will end in the big bowl just before the game starts.

Full particulars of the many events of the day will be sent out later by the Cape Girardeau Chamber of Commerce.

TWO MEMBERS ADDED TO 'CHOIR' OF BAPTIST CHURCH

The two proudest young men in Sikeston this week are L. B. Jones, son of the pastor of the Baptist church, and Rev. A. C. Rudloff, pastor. Both are brand new fathers.

Miss Dorothy Jean Jones, weight 7 3-4 pounds, was born last Sunday night to Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Jones. Miss Rudloff arrived early Wednesday morning and weighed at exactly 10 pounds.

The young ladies have indicated a desire to join the church choir in high soprano voices. The mothers and children are in perfect health.

Miss Ruby Evans will return Tuesday from Rochepot, Mo., where she has been spending her vacation with her parents.

ARBUTUS CLASS MEETS

The Arbutus Class of the Baptist church held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Lem Council, 757 Greer Street, Monday evening, August 4, with Mrs. Council, Mrs. Allen and Miss Myers hostesses.

The business meeting was followed with an hour devoted to social interests and was concluded with refreshments. Twenty-one members and six visitors were present.

The next meeting will be held at the church, from which the class will go to the country for a picnic supper. The members will then return to the church to elect officers for the ensuing year.

CAPAHAS TO PLAY LOCALS HERE SUNDAY

The Cape Girardeau Capahas will play a return game with Sikeston next Sunday on the local diamond, and try to avenge the drubbing handed out by Tom Malone's men at the home park several weeks ago.

The Capahas will have May, Fish and Kinder as possible moundsmen, while Malone plans on pitching Burrus if the big fellow can work the soreness out of his delivery arm and shoulder this week. In case Burrus is unable to come through Malone has a dark horse in mind, possibly young Alt of Charleston.

Rumor has it that Chili Simpson plans on showing the youngster to the Yanks at the close of this season. He is young, but has plenty of "stuff" part of which was demonstrated on the Sikeston diamond in the last inning of the Malden-Sikeston benefit game July 11.

As many Sikeston players as can possibly be used will see action next Sunday. Malone explained that he wanted first of all to play a winning club, and to do that he was forced to hire players frequently, but that the treasury at present did not permit going strong on out of town help.

CARD OF THANKS

To the Baptist people and friends who were so kind to give in the showers that were given, we extend our thanks for those who had thoughts of us.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Cutrell.

J. F. McMullin of Essex was a Sikeston visitor the last of the week and while in the city called at The Standard office. He reports rain badly needed.

By laying 358 eggs in 365 days, a Barred Plymouth Rock pullet owned by the University of Saskatchewan has established herself as the present champion egg layer of the world.

Special Correspondent of Cairo Citizen Pays Visit to Sikeston

Sikeston, Mo.—The Scott County Milling Company has the second largest flour mill in the State of Missouri. There is one in Kansas City that is larger. It also is the eighth largest in the United States. It has sixteen large storage elevators for grain and employs a large force of men. Nearly all the grain used is grown locally. It is a great asset to this community and is prospering.

Ice cream is one of the products manufactured here in Sikeston. It seems that vanilla and strawberry lead all others in popularity. The ice cream is frozen one day, put into an ice box 10 degrees below zero for at least 24 hours and then shipped in thermos cans to the dealer. Very little ice is really used in making, storing and shipping ice cream.

Eskimo pies, popples and Dixie cups are popular with the ice cream consuming urchin. By special arrangement, a person may get any flavor, color, or design of "it's a food and not a fad". The State law requires eight per cent of butterfat in ice cream, while the Sikeston plant puts out a product containing 14 per cent of butter fat.

Jas. A. Chewing is a contractor and builder. He was talking in regard to the type of houses he is now being asked to build these days. The

ladies no longer want larger houses. No parlors, small, yes, tiny kitchens with cupboards and cabinets built in. A very diminutive bath room, a bed room or two, with a day bed in the dining room and you have a modern bungalow. He has lived long in Scott County and has some interesting stories of her citizens.

J. J. Reiss is one of the largest dairymen in south Scott County. He has from 15 to 20 milch cows, raises most of the feed the cattle consume and as a result is not complaining about the decline of prices. The cow is the mother of prosperity and according to one man, this country would be better off with a good cheese factory and creamery butter plant than some other crops that are being raised.

Another man who has clung to the old method of farming is James M. Klein. He is an extensive farmer having over a thousand acres and raises Hereford beef cattle, mules, hogs, hay, wheat and corn. Nothing new or startling about these farm products, but they are staples. We all like a hamburger or barbecue sandwich and they require beef and pork to make them. Sometimes you need a microscope to find the beef in a hamburger, but look carefully and it can be found. As a rule, you

don't need the bun to hold the meat together.

Sikeston, Mo.—"Sikeston Greets U" is the slogan hanging over all the roads leading into Sikeston, Mo. How much different a tourist feels upon reading this greeting than he does when he reads "Bluffton—Speed Limit 10 Miles", or "Gasville—Traffic Laws Enforced". In many towns, however, it is necessary to look up the railroad station to find the name of the town or village. Upon leaving—"Sikeston Invites U Again", and you feel like turning around and going back.

The homes in Sikeston seem to be about in pillars and porches. There are Ionic, Corinthian, Doric, Colonial and then just plain pillars. It produces a picture of stability. Then the porches are marvels, sleeping, sunshine, screened in, back, front, side, and porches with French windows, are just a few to be noticed. The walks leading up to the porches usually have several graceful curves in them. What artistic architects and landscapers must have planned the homes in Sikeston.

The greenest lawn and shrubbery in Scott County is on the high school property declared Mr. Hayden. The waterworks keep a small space green around their stand pipe, but look me over. It surely is a refreshing sight to see green grass, green flower beds and a green bank of shrubbery surrounding the beautiful gymnasium and school building.

L. R. Bowman, secretary of the Scott County Milling Company also keeps his lawn and garden fresh and green and it presents an object lesson of what a sufficient rainfall will do for this part of Southeast Missouri.

Until you have walked around the Sikeston Methodist church, gone into it, and sat down and enjoyed its beauty and then studied the well planned Sunday school rooms for all departments from the tiny tots in their circles of smaller chairs thru the intermediate grades to the adult classes with blackboard charts and maps, you have not seen Sikeston. It is the pride of the Rev. C. C. Barnhardt who has been pastor since 1927. The present church was erected in 1911 at a cost of \$60,000. The first regular pastor came in 1872 and since then there have been 29 pastors.

Besides the Methodist church, there are at least ten other churches which include the Christian, Baptist, Lutheran, Christian Science, Presbyterian, Catholic, Nazarene and three colored churches. Nearly all of these congregations are housed in commodious edifices and have regular worship. According to the census, Sikeston has one church for every 450 people, which is a very good percentage.

Sikeston, Mo.—Can you name the presidents of the United States in order? If not, you should visit the assembly room of the Sikeston high school and see their portraits hanging in order around the room. They are neatly framed in frames 15x21 inches. All are there from Washington to Hoover.

It seems that when Judge W. C. Bowman was president of the board of education, he had them framed and presented to the school. Mr. Hayden, the custodian, declared that he had to dig up an old United States history before he could place them in order. He remembers back when Buchard Hayes was elected dear reader. Could you have hung them in order?

The Sikeston Standard and Sikeston Herald are two weekly newspapers, which have a good circulation in this part of Missouri. The two offices have both such a volume of business that they are crowded in their quarters.

As a matter of fact, C. H. Denman, editor and manager of The Herald moved into new and larger quarters on Friday.

C. L. Blanton, Sr., is the editor of The Standard and knows the town and county very well indeed and has many things of interest in his crowded office. It is a fact that he can employ only tall thin men around his plant, or in other words, it is a fat man's misery. His job work is the larger end of his business.

J. H. Hayden is the truant officer and custodian of the Sikeston high school. He jokingly remarked: "I began this job with the new building in 1915, and the people don't know what a poor job I am doing because they have never had anyone else doing the work".

He is a man 61 years old, the father of four sons and two daughters and as soon as two of his sons finish high school, they will all have been granted diplomas by the local high

school. Two of the children are going to college. He is a fine looking man for his age and is 100 per cent for his job, his superintendent of schools and his board of education.

More outside people know the Sikeston high school by its athletic contest than by its work in the commercial or manual training departments. The gymnasium is a very well appointed building for physical training and community gatherings. Its floor will take care of 500 at a basketball game and 800 at an entertainment on its stage. The stage settings are artistic, the dressing rooms at each side of the stage are complete in every detail. The curtains of rich velvet and most beautiful by either natural or artificial lighting. Two historic friezes grace the entrance to the door. The balcony is large and comfortably seated. It was built in 1925.

Recently a new addition has been built on the main high school building so that the building is again symmetrical. There are about 900 pupils in the high school at present.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM MORLEY

Mrs. C. A. Stallings has been on the sick list the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Boyce attended to business near Unity, Saturday.

Oscar Duncan and son, Martin, went to Cairo, Ill., Monday on business.

Dave Mize visited his sister and brother at Cape Girardeau Saturday night.

Mrs. Henry Loftin went to Illinois the first of the week to visit her daughter, Mrs. Sanders.

A number of 4-H Club girls enjoyed a radio party with Miss Nancy Leslie Saturday night.

Robert Leslie left Wednesday for Fort Leavenworth, Kansas for a month of camp activities.

Mrs. A. L. Swaim of Sikeston spent Wednesday visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Vaughn.

Mrs. L. C. Leslie spent the past week in Charleston visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Acie Bailey are the proud parents of an 8 1-2 pound daughter born Wednesday, July 30.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Foster and children were Cape Girardeau visitors Friday afternoon and evening.

The appraisers on Highway 61 viewed the land in this community Thursday and Friday of last week.

Mrs. J. F. Grant of Cape Girardeau was a visitor of Mrs. Mollie Evans and Mrs. Ralph Vaughn, Friday.

The Intermediate B. Y. P. U. enjoyed a social on the church lawn on Tuesday evening with a good attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Watson are the proud parents of a 10-pound daughter, who arrived Wednesday, July 30.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Porter left Saturday night by motor for a weekend visit with relatives at Cypress, Illinois.

Miss Nancy Leslie returned Wednesday from an extended visit with her brother, Phil Leslie and wife, in St. Louis.

Miss Virginia Eachus of Lambertville was a week-end visitor of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. McDonough.

C. D. Jr., Mavereen and June Cummins of Cape Girardeau were weekend visitors at the Ralph Vaughn and J. R. Lee homes.

Mrs. Eugenia Tomlinson went to Benton Monday evening for an indefinite visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Buck.

Gardens are completely burned up in this section and instead of canning and preserving as housewives usually do at this season, it is necessary to buy everything we eat except potatoes and onions.

Have you tried, — Golden brown waffles, Electrically cooked right on your table.

666

Relieves a Headache or Neuralgia in 30 minutes, checks a Cold the first day, and checks Malaria in three days

666 also in Tablets

Red Rose Brand Quality Creamery Butter on sale at

Andres Meat Market

Mr. and Mrs. George Ford and two daughters of St. Louis arrived Sunday for a visit with the former's parents and brother, Mr. and Mrs. L. Ford, Sr., and Jr.

Mrs. Anna Underwood, who makes her home with her daughter at Cape Girardeau, arrived Tuesday from Vanduser to visit at the Ralph Vaughn home until after election.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Ervin and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Early Gibson and daughter of St. Louis arrived Saturday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ervin and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Godwin, Mrs. Trumbaugh and Mrs. Sauers of Hot Springs, Ark., arrived Sunday afternoon for a short visit at the homes of Mrs. Wm. Clayton and Mrs. Ralph Vaughn.

Rev. D. M. Margraves, Mr. Caughlin, Mr. and Mrs. John Little, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ford, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Stallings were among the number who attended the church at Vanduser, Tuesday night.

Mrs. Pauline Sparks of Memphis, Tenn., daughter of Mrs. Mary Kellem (nee May) of Chaffee, was buried here Tuesday. Mrs. Sparks leaves a husband, two children and her mother to mourn her untimely death.

Charley Murphy, who was critically injured by a fall at Kewanee in May, was brought from a Cape hospital to the home of his brother, Marion Murphy, Saturday. He is able to walk a little with the aid of crutches.

Members of the Church of God, who have held a three weeks' meeting in the opera house, enjoyed a basket dinner in the park Sunday with afternoon services held in the park and a baptizing at 4 o'clock at the Watson ditch.

Miss Marjorie Leslie celebrated her birthday with a swimming party Thursday afternoon to which the following were invited: Mabel Foster, Helen Miles, Eloise Stallings and Nancy Leslie. Delicious refreshments were served after the swim.

A. P. Hill expects to have a sale of his household goods and farming tools about the middle of the month and return to St. Louis, where he

WANTED—Old Shoes

Heller will buy them. The Shoe Shop on Wheels Across Street from Dye Hotel

ST. LOUIS LADY SAYS "KONJOLA MOST UNUSUAL"

"Real Pleasure," She Adds, "To Indorse New Compound Which Restored Health."

MRS. MARIE JAMES

"I suffered from various ailments for many months," said Mrs. Marie James, 4828 Bulver Avenue, St. Louis. "My nerves bothered me a great deal and I was very restless. I was unable to sleep and suffered severe headaches. Rheumatism attacked me and my kidneys became very weak. I had no appetite and my general health was badly run-down."

Konjola was so highly recommended by those using it that I decided to give it a trial. I could scarcely credit the change in my health after I had taken four bottles. My nerves are almost well again and I feel stronger in every way. My entire system had been helped and I have a good appetite. I am sleep well and am free from rheumatism and headaches. It is, indeed, a real pleasure to endorse this most unusual medicine."

There are thousands of men and women, of all ages and from all walks of life, who have eagerly endorsed Konjola. It has become the most talked of medicine in America today.

Konjola is sold in Sikeston at the Derris Drug Store, and by all the best druggists in all towns throughout this entire section.

lived before moving here about three years ago. His wife is already in St. Louis having been called there some time ago by the death of her brother's wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ford, Jr., left Friday afternoon for St. Louis, where Mrs. Ford will enter a hospital for a major operation. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. George Ford and daughters, who returned to their home in St. Louis, after a week's visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Ford, Sr.

The ice cream supper given by the Methodist ladies Saturday night, was a success financially the net sum amounting to \$30, for which they thank all who helped in any way. Those attending from Benton included Mr. and Mrs. Alden Pinney, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Amanda Elmore, Miss Alma Elmore and Mrs. Schubel and two daughters of Nashville, Tenn.

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TO MAKE SOIL SURVEY FOR P. O.

According to the copy of a letter from J. A. Wetmore, Acting Supervising Architect, Washington, D. C., dated August 4, the contract to make a topographical survey and soil investigation for the Sikeston Post Office building will be completed within 15 days from receipt of the letter of instructions.

According to Wetmore's instructions, a copy of which was received this week by W. E. Hollingsworth, postmaster, the contract was awarded to S. A. Sulentic of Topeka, Kan., at a cost of \$275. Sulentic is instructed to follow specifications dated July 12, 1930.

According to Postmaster Hollingsworth, the contractor will probably appear in Sikeston this week-end to start the work. It is explained that the topographical survey and soil investigation is made for Federal building so that the building contractors will be accurately informed as to conditions. It is also a check used by the architects office in computing costs on the project.

Ben Hogan of St. Louis and Allen Lester of Columbia arrived in Sikeston Wednesday to spend a few days with friends.

CELEBRATES 76th BIRTHDAY

Mrs. J. W. Baker, Sr., last Sunday celebrated her seventy-sixth birthday anniversary with a family reunion and party. Besides the host of Sikeston friends and relatives present, R. M. Green of Nashville, Tenn., and his son, R. M. Green, Jr., and family of Birmingham, Ala., and Grant Green of Rosemead, Calif., were present. The two brothers, R. M. and Grant and Mrs. Baker are the only remaining members of a family of eleven children.

R. M. Green, Sr., enjoys the reputation of long continued railroad experience. Mr. Green was connected with railroading from 1868 until 1914 when he retired from active service.

Mrs. Golda Fowler Anderson returned to California, Wednesday, after a pleasant visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fowler.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom White and two little daughters left for a visit of ten days at McKinsie, Tenn. Mrs. White's two sisters, Miss Elizabeth and Kathleen Cooper, of Mississippi, will visit here until September 1.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Matthews, Jr., drove to Cairo Wednesday and visited Mrs. Jos. L. Matthews, who is a patient in St. Mary's Hospital. Mrs. Matthews' many friends will be pleased to hear that she is doing fine.

LATE RETURNS HAND FULBRIGHT LEAD

The Poplar Bluff American-Republic in a comprehensive unofficial survey of the Fourteenth District Wednesday evening, indicated that James F. Fulbright of Doniphan would win the Democratic nomination for Congressman of the district over Orville Zimmerman by a majority of from 500 to 1000 votes.

ARMY WORMS SHOW UP IN COTTON

The cotton leaf worm commonly termed "Army Worm" has been noted in cotton fields in the Sikeston district, according to growers who are attacking the pest with applications of calcium arsenate.

The cotton leaf worm is not present in alarming numbers at present, but it is pointed out by those who understand the life cycle of the pest, that a new and larger crop appears every three weeks. If unchecked by poisons or other means multiplication is rapid, and eventually entire fields of cotton are defoliated.

Workers on several large plantations have been busy the past week dusting calcium arsenate over the plants, for the worm feeds on leaves and can be killed by poison.

According to one large cotton grower here, cotton is being hurt to some extent by the drouth, but how much is exceedingly difficult to state. "Cotton", he states, "is peculiar in that one cannot tell until frost kills the plant, what may develop". He recalls the 1926 drouth. "At that time it was believed that the entire crop would be lost following a 76-day dry period. One week of rain about the middle of August, brought cotton out of the slump, and a bumper crop was the final result".

"If one hundred years of recorded experience is any indication, it is almost safe to say that dry years will yield more cotton than relatively wet years", he concludes.

A field of approximately forty acres of Wilson cotton, planted earlier than the average, located in the La Forge District, has started opening up. A half dozen well filled bolls were brought to town Thursday morning. "By next week-end", said this grower, "I believe I can pick about a bale of cotton".

GRAPES—For all purposes and plenty of them. \$1.00 bushel. Start picking Saturday.—Schenberg & Sons Orchard, on base line road, 3 miles north of Blodgett.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE UNDER EXECUTION

By virtue and authority of an execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court in and for the County of Scott, returnable to the August, 1930, term of said court, wherein Sturdivant Bank, a banking corporation, is plaintiff and Dan McCoy, Lizzie McCoy and Mary E. McCoy, are defendants, I have levied upon and seized all the right, title and interest of the above-named defendants in and to the following described real estate, situate in Scott County, Missouri, and described as follows, to-wit:

"Situate in the County of Scott, State of Missouri, and being a part of the South Half of Section 26, Township 26 North, Range 13 East, being bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the 1/4 corner between Sections 26 and 35, 26-13, Thence S. 89 degrees 35 minutes W. along the line between Sections 26 and 35, 26-12 a distance of 895.3 feet to the east line of the 43.510 acre tract laid off in the West part of the Southwest Quarter of Section 26, 26-13. Thence North along the East line of the said 43.510 acre tract at 1491.0 feet intersect the South fence line of the Morehouse and Sikeston public road. Thence N. 71 degrees 02 minutes E. along the said fence line a distance of 541.0 feet to a point; Thence N. 18 degrees 58 minutes W. a distance of 9.6 feet to a point. Thence N. 71 degrees 03 minutes E. at 1812.7 feet fall on the intersection of the South fence line of the Morehouse and Sikeston Public road with the East 1-16 line of Section 26, 26-13. Thence South 0 degrees 04 minutes E. along the said East 1-16 line a distance of 2170.0 feet to a channel iron set for the East 1-16th corner between Sections 26 and 35, 26-13. Thence S. 89 degrees 35 minutes W. along the line between Sections 26 and 35, 26-13 a distance of 1328.8 feet to the place of beginning, containing 91.584 acres. Surveyed during the month of March, 1915, by Benj. L. Parker, and I will on

FRIDAY, AUGUST 29th, 1930, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the east door of the Court House in the Town of Benton, Scott County, Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the above-named defendants in and to the above described property, to the highest bidder, to satisfy said execution and costs.

Dated at Benton, Missouri, this 7th day of August, 1930.

TOM SCOTT, Sheriff, Scott County, Missouri.

HIGHWAY 61 LETTING TO BE HELD AUG. 22

According to C. D. Matthews, chairman of the State Highway Commission here, the contract for paving Highway 61 from the junction in Sikeston north to Benton, will be let on August 22.

Placing this stretch of Highway under contract assures early completion of an all-concrete primary highway between St. Louis and the Arkansas State line.

TO THE VOTERS OF SCOTT CO.

My affection for the good people of Scott County has not grown cold since my defeat in the primary. My opponent has won a well-earned victory by hard work, a clean campaign, my long tenure in office, and a combination of circumstances, for which Judge Spencer was not responsible and which I could not prevent. The ticket which has been named by the voters in the primary is a good one, and will have my hearty support in November.

My many loyal friends in all parts of the County have my lasting gratitude and good wishes.

Very respectfully,

THOS. B. DUDLEY,

Benton, Missouri,

August 6, 1930.

Weeks' Theatre, Dexter, has cut 25c for rest of summer.

C. D. Matthews, Jr., will leave Sunday for a meeting of the Highway Commission at Jefferson City.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Barrett will leave Friday for a ten-day vacation. They will visit at Doniphan and then go on to St. Louis.

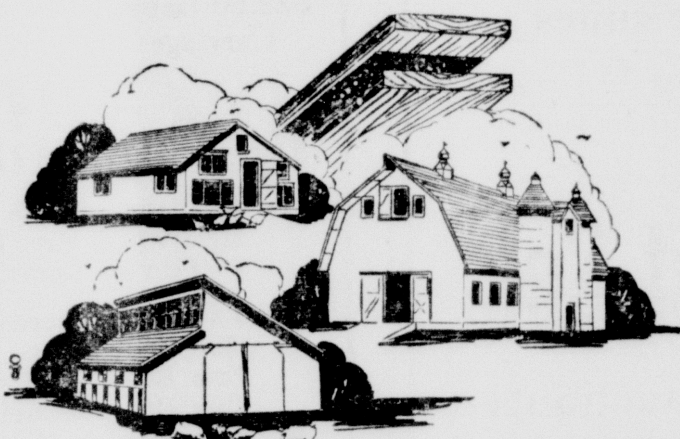
Coming to Weeks' Theatre, Dexter, lots of big pictures with stars you Sunday matinee admission adults to want to see. Watch for advertising.

Mrs. Betty Matthews returned from a three days' visit to St. Louis Wednesday. Mrs. Walter Clymer returned to St. Louis Monday, after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Marshall, Jr., and children of Blodgett visited Mrs. Florence Marshall and Miss Kate Austin Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Marshall have just returned from a stay of several weeks in St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Anderson and little daughter will leave the latter part of next week for Jacksonville to spend their vacation. Their little son, who has been visiting his grandmother, will return with his parents.

Mrs. Betty Matthews and granddaughters, Misses Suzanna and Elizabeth Corrigan will start on their vacation of about six weeks. They are planning a trip to the West Coast over the Southern route and will visit several interesting points enroute.



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COUNCIL REDUCES TAX ON MUNY COURSE TO \$37.50

The City Council in regular session last Monday night passed an ordinance fixing the city tax on miniature golf courses at \$37.50. The question of the tax had been under discussion for the past week by townspeople, many of who agreed with George Dye, owner of the Wee Way course, that the proposed tax of \$100 was out of proportion. The \$37.50 fee seems to be agreeable.

The Council heard a report of the financial condition of the Sikeston Special Road District presented by E. C. Matthews, and voted to accept the statement. The city financial statement was also read and approved, and ordered published.

The matter of insuring city employees was tabled for future consideration. Lyle Malone presented statistics to the Council on the matter.

The council confirmed the agreement reached between Roger Bailey city attorney, Mayor Fuchs and the law firm of B. H. Charles of St. Louis in the matter of presenting the Municipal Light Plant election case to the Supreme Court of Missouri. Charles will receive \$1000 if the case is decided favorably, and \$500 if the Court rules that the proposition did not carry.

Routine bills and reports consumed the remaining part of the business session.

We are sorry to report that Louis Scott and his sister, Miss Letha, are still on the sick list.

Mrs. Ben Welter will return to Sikeston Friday from a business trip to St. Louis.

Miss Ruby Evans returned to Sikeston Wednesday night, after a pleasant visit with her parents at Rocheport, Mo.

The Auxilray of the American Legion held their regular meeting with Mrs. Earl Johnson Wednesday evening, with a large attendance and several visitors present. After the regular business, the election of delegates to the State meeting was held. Mrs. Lyle Malone was elected as a delegate and Mrs. Oscar Carroll as an alternate. The convention will be held in Chillicothe the latter part of August. After the close of the meeting, the Auxiliary enjoyed a social hour. Mrs. Lyle Malone will be hostess for the next meeting to be held Wednesday evening, August 20.

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175 bed room suite	125
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85 bed room suite	65.00

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The assortment is especially pretty. An auctioneer could probably get more than we ask.

\$150.00 Eight Piece Dining Suite	\$110.00
\$125.00 Eight Piece Dining Suite	\$98.00
\$98.00 Walnut Dinette 6 pieces	\$77.50
\$87.50 Walnut Dinette 6 pieces	\$65.00
\$75.00 Antique Oak Dinette, 6 pieces	\$57.50
\$58.50 Breakfast Set	\$40.00
\$45.00 Breakfast Set	\$32.50
\$37.50 Breakfast Set	\$27.50
\$27.50 Breakfast Set	\$22.50

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5 Occasional Chairs each	\$4.95	25 beautiful Occasional Chairs and Benches	\$5.00
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10 27x54, Wilton Rugs, various grades. HALF PRICE.		25 beautiful Plate Mirrors, fancy shapes and patterns, nothing later in any city, while they last	
Choice of three piece fiber suites, all late patterns, worth up to \$72.50, at \$35 \$12.50 and \$19.00		ONE-THIRD OFF	
50 pretty rag rugs, 2x4 feet, usually a dollar	50c	\$5 and \$6 oval Axminster and Velvet Rugs	\$3.50
50 27x52 Axminster rugs, regular \$3.50, dealers pay more than this for such rugs	\$1.95	One 60c bottle and one 30c bottle Liquid Veneer all for	50c
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\$9.00 smoker stands	\$5.00		
\$22.50 Baby Carriage	\$15.00		

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Our traders have been busy for ninety days resulting in a car load of used item which have been put in excellent condition. Here they are for a sale—the very items needed by hundred of families.

Late model green enamel Moore's range	\$65.00
One Copper Clad Range	25.00
One Round Oak Chief Range	39.00
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One Moore's Range—with hi-closet	24.00
One Moore's Range—no closet	19.00
One Black Diamond Range	27.50
Five Oak Side Board	\$7.50, \$10.00, \$12.00 and 14.00
Oak Buffets	\$12.50, \$16.50 and 22.00
Oak China Closets	\$9.50, \$12.00 and 15.00
Library and Davenport Tables	\$6.00, \$9.50, \$12.00 and 14.00
3-piece Davenport Suites	\$27.50 and 35.00
3-piece Oak Bed Room Suite	35.00
3-Piece Breakfast Suite, grey	9.50
8-piece Pecan Dining Room Suite, sold new for \$175.00	49.00
Round and Square Oak Dining Tables	\$6.00, \$9.50, \$12.00 and 15.00
Steel Beds	\$2.75, \$3.50 and 6.50
Child's Beds	\$3.50, \$4.50 and 6.00
4-Burner Perfection Stove	11.50
4-burned Nesco Stove, only slightly used	15.00
3-burned Simmons Stove	7.50
10 Moore's and other heaters, all made good	\$10.00 and up

Looking Backward—Forward Too

A lot of water has gone over the dam since we were here 32 years ago. Some of it has been ugly and threatening—some strewn with business—much of it clear and inviting. At that time Cape Girardeau was thought of as Charleston except by train, East Prairie was a long way off and Cairo, being rather famous as a good wholesale and retail liquor market, was a town. Now it is a matter of almost daily routine for us to install furniture in some of these towns. Comparing present conditions and privileges with those in Southeast Missouri. Not every year has paths at times, just as they do now, but Southerners and WILL NOT surrender to disappointment. As we glance back at the picture, our feelings are stirred toward thousands who helped us weather various storms. Our faith in the ultimate is still strong, hence our desire to serve increased 1898. As a slight expression of appreciation for patronage which should set a furniture record for You and your friends are invited to our Birthday.

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9x12 Beachcraft Fiber Rugs	\$9.50
8.3x10.6 Oval Fiber Rugs	\$12.50
3-Piece Porch Sets, regular \$25	\$17.50
4 foot porch swings, select timber	\$3.75
5 foot porch swings, select timber	\$5.00
6 foot porch swings, select timber	\$5.75
\$6.00 White Maple Porch Rockers	\$4.25
50 Pound Refrigerator, top icer	\$15.00
\$25.00 Ice Chest	\$17.50

THE LAST OF PIANOS AND PHONOGRAPHS

Many families of modest means are not in a position to own radios. At the "give away" prices on our remaining stock of pianos and phonographs there's no excuse for a home without music.

Oak Wurlitzer Piano in good playing condition	\$45.00
Mahogany Wilson Piano in good shape	\$65.00
12 phonographs, all in good repair, sold new for up to \$300 each, priced in this sale at	
\$8.50 \$12.00 \$25.00 \$35.00 and \$45.00	
This lot of phonographs includes Edisons, Brunswicks, Victors and Columbias, all standard makes.	

WOOL RUGS

Floor Coverings

An abundant stock of standard numbers used by average folks. Prices for the week are truly "smashed."

\$39.50 Axminster Rugs 9x12	\$29.50
\$49.50 Axminster Rugs 9x12	\$37.50
\$55.00 Axminster Rugs 9x12	\$40.00
EXTRA—11.3x12 Seamless Axminster Rugs	\$40.00
\$25.00 Brussels Rugs 8.3x10.6	\$18.50
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9x12 Sandura Rugs, best ever	\$11.00
EXTRA—EXTRA—11.3x12 Armstrong Felt Base Rugs	\$12.50
EXTRA—EXTRA—12x15 Blabons Genuine Linoleum Rugs	\$18.50
Rugs of this size have been priced at \$27.50 to \$30.00	
Small Congoleum Rugs in proportion	

OIL STOVE PRICES "SMASHED" TOO

\$75 Oil Stoves, range	\$55.00
\$70 Oil Stoves, range	\$50.00
\$65 Oil Stoves, range	\$47.50
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Bank statements\$10.00
Probate notices, minimum\$ 5.00
Yearly subscription in Scott and the adjoining counties\$ 1.50
Yearly subscription elsewhere in the United States\$2.00

The real reason why all Sikeston candidates failed of nomination was the lack of votes. The next reason is that Sikeston now has holding office: C. C. White, representative; George Dempster, coroner; Cecil Reed, recorder; M. E. Montgomery, prosecuting attorney; C. E. Felker, treasurer; T. F. Henry, circuit clerk; T. B. Dudley, probate judge.

The International Shoe Company is the biggest stick of candy that Sikeston has ever had given her. Now, is Sikeston just as good as Santa Claus, by wearing the shoes manufactured by this company. We expect not. It is said if the employees of the International Shoe Company and their families would wear these shoes, this alone would keep these factories running a good part of the time, without other orders. The International should join with merchants who handle their shoes and try and work up more business in the cities where these factories are located. There are several grades of these shoes from the finest down.

Our grandchildren are coming along fine. From Bay City, Mich., we learn that Anne Blanton has two teeth, from Ballston, Va., that Dan Payne can get his booties off; from Troy, Mo., that Mary Eugenia Blanton has gained two pounds since birth, and from Eldorado, Ark., that Nat and Mary Watkins wanted their mother to come back to Sikeston and have another operation.

Welch & Co., retail furniture dealers of St. Louis, has been fined \$100 for printing misleading advertisements. This same law might apply to newspapers who mislead the public about their reputed circulation.

The sweating public is still going strong!

Well, anyway, in the election mix-up of Tuesday, Sikeston saved her Jewell!

Mrs. Lindsay Brown of Charleston has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Frank Sikes, who is ill.

GERARD FOWKE, EXPERT ON INDIAN LORE, HERE MON.

Gerard Fowke, who has written among other things, a booklet for the Smithsonian Institution on Archeological Investigations dealing specifically with Indian remains in the Ozarks, Southeast and Central Missouri, visited the Ned Matthews mounds last Monday morning, and spent a half day examining finds.

In a three-hour conversation with Mr. Matthews and K. K. Baker, Fowke expressed the opinion that the Indians who originally inhabited this portion of the State were of the Caddo branch.

After viewing the forty-five or fifty pieces of pottery, many of the flints and other items unearthed Fowke termed as "very rare" and "remarkable" the tripod vase mentioned in former stories.

The investigations on the Matthews farm will probably be halted this week-end. For the past five or six days Baker and his assistants have been working in an old Indian camp site, and finds have been uniformly disappointing. No perfect pieces of pottery and few flints have resulted. One find of particular importance was, however, made. A quantity of parched "Indian Corn" or maize and a few beans were found. The corn does not compare with the modern farm product. Grains are small, irregular and resemble our common popcorn.

Many bones of small animals and birds, fragments of pots and vessels, and discarded remains have been uncovered on the camp site or "living quarters" of the former Sikeston tribe, but very few worthwhile finds have shown up. Baker and his crew will spend the rest of this week working the original mound which so far has given up the most valuable finds. Unless another lucky "streak" is uncovered the work will be stopped Saturday.

We are in hopes there will be no soreness out of the disappointments of Tuesday and that every defeated candidate and his friends will get behind the winners and help put them over at the November election.

Cleveland Moore, a negro of St. Louis, was accidentally killed when initiated into a lodge of Masons in that city, by falling out of a blanket in which he was being tossed as a part of the lodge work. That was pretty hard on Brother Moore.

We are not in position to say that something ought to be done about this, but it comes to our attention that one of the many women who gathered in ten smackers Tuesday for driving election cars, collected from two contestants for the same office, and before the day was over, worked for a third.

Kennett—New home of Coca-Cola Bottling Works on Kennett Street, ready for occupancy.

GUARDSMEN AGREE THAT MEALTIME IS WELCOME AFTER HARD WORK SOLDIERING

Notes jotted down at random by Sgt. Robert Turner, Co. K, 140th Infantry state "we arrived at Camp Clark at 9:15 Sunday morning, detrained at 9:30 o'clock and were in our company street by 9:45. We find it cooler up here than at home. At least we have a nice breeze, but the water witch has not changed a bit. Everything is more or less burned up.

The first two hours of our encampment were spent in staking down tents and ditching around them. The ground is plenty hard, but grass is still green and crops don't look quite as sick here.

Dinner is just about ready, and I think we all have a nice little appetite since we had lunch for supper and a lunch for breakfast. A hot meal won't be half bad.

The trip was uneventful, but most of us enjoyed it anyway.

Yours,

BOB

"Brandy" Payne, one of the mess sergeants, also pens a few notes. His remarks about arriving at camp follow the outline of Sgt. Turner closely but his interests are centered on a different angle of the hot meal mentioned by Turner.

"I mean my mess sgt. and I really gave the boys a real dinner, at least the boys said 'we could really put the Fred Harvey to 'em'. From the looks of things, they are going to give us plenty to eat.

"Send the papers. Will write more later.

"Your friend,

"BRANDY"

IN THIS CASE THE PRISONER LEFT THE FRYING PAN FOR THE FIRE

Fred Derbin of Portageville was arrested last Friday night by marshals George Delisle and Al Adams of Portageville. The charge was of minor nature.

Whether or not the cooling system in the Portageville "cooler" was working overtime or not was not stated in the notes of the New Madrid correspondent, but Derbin set the mattresses and bedding of the jail on fire, nevertheless. He is now in the New Madrid county jail facing charges of arson. Squire Swilley of Portageville will hear the original case against Derbin, Thursday.

FIND STOLEN LILBOURN CAR IN FLINT, MICHIGAN

New Madrid, August 3.—Jodie Neal and Sibert Ray of Parma are in the County jail on a charge of having stolen a Ford sedan from L. M. Hill of Lilbourn and driven it to Flint, Mich., where they abandoned it. The car was recovered by the police of Flint, and according to their information, the boys left it there and returned to Missouri. Upon their arrival here, they were arrested by Deputies Harris and Smith and lodged in the County jail. They await a preliminary hearing.

Henry Holmes of New Madrid will be given a preliminary hearing before Justice Pete Smith Wednesday on a charge of felonious assault. It is alleged that Holmes assaulted a woman with a club and inflicted a cut over her eye.

WERE MARRIED FRIDAY

Miss Letha Smith of Seventy-Six, Mo., a town south of St. Louis, became the bride of Lovell Cox of Matthews last Friday evening at 6:40 o'clock. Rev. A. C. Rudloff performed the ceremony at the Baptist parsonage. The bride taught school last year at Risco, and will again fill a position in that place this year. The couple will live in Matthews.

Wife of Car Victim Dies

Poplar Bluff, August 5.—Mrs. Wm. Vanderpool died last night while plans were being made for burial today of her husband, Wm. Vanderpool, 63, building contractor, who was burned to death when his auto was wrecked and burned Saturday night.

She was critically ill at the time of her husband's death, and was never informed of the tragedy.

A double funeral was held this afternoon.

KERR WINS FIGHT FOR CHAIRMANSHIP IN MADRID

Ambrose Kerr defeated D. D. "Bily" Finch by an overwhelming majority for the chairmanship of the Republican County Committee in New Madrid Township, according to word received late Thursday from Wade Tucker. Kerr won the important post with practically all Republican office holders opposing him.

Mrs. W. O. Trowbridge and daughter, Miss Bess Trowbridge, both of Columbia and Miss Lula Judy of Buckner, Mo., arrived here Wednesday afternoon to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Trowbridge. The visitors will probably remain until Saturday before continuing their vacation tour which includes stopovers in Springfield and Kansas City.

FOR RENT—Rooms at 228 Trotter Street.—Mrs. J. W. Wilkins.

NO GAME SUNDAY MALONE DECIDES

Due to the fact that the National Guard trip to Camp Clark has taken most of the "home" ball players for two weeks, necessitating hiring out-of-town players, Manager Tom Malone decided late Thursday afternoon to call off the scheduled game here Sunday with the Cape Girardeau Capahs. At best, he stated, the game would cost the Sikeston Club \$75, and the treasury is not in condition to stand that loss.

Misses Margaret Powers of Paris, Mo., and Irahel Walton, both with a St. Louis Welfare organization transacted business in Sikeston last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Prosser, Jr., and little daughter, Sally, of Plant City, Fla., are visiting Mrs. Prosser's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. H. Wilbur. Mr. Prosser is leaving this week to attend the International Apple Shippers' Convention in Grand Rapids, Michigan.

Onions for storage should be well ripened and thoroughly cured. Do not store "thick necks" or those that are immature or soft. Good storage onions will rattle almost like blocks of wood when poured from one container to another.

Weeks Theatre

Dexter, Missouri

SU., MON., AUG. 10-11
Sunday—2:30 Admission 15c and 25c
Nights 7:30—Adm. 15c and 35c
"NOT DAMAGED" with Lois Moran, Walter Byron and Robert Ames. Also NEWS and BROADWAY ACT.

TUESDAY, AUG. 12
"TROOPERS THREE" with Rex Lease, Dorothy Gulliver, Slim Summerville. 2-reel Talking COMEDY.
Admission 15c and 35c

WED., THURS., AUG. 13-14
"INSIDE THE LINES" with Betty Compson and Ralph Forbes. Also 2-reel Talking COMEDY.
Admission 15c and 35c

FRI., SAT., AUG. 15-16
"ON THE LEVEL" with Victor McLaglen, Lilyan Tashman. Comedy drama. Two-reel talking COMEDY and sound CARTOON. Admission 10c and 25c

Everyone Can Enjoy Chaney's Swimming Pool



Whether you are an expert swimmer and diver or just come for a cooling and refreshing dip, you'll thoroughly enjoy yourself at Chaney's Swimming Pool. Pure water, graduated depths, no undertow and Life Guards in watchful attendance to insure absolute safety.

Sikeston Natatorium

Farris-Jones Hardware and Grocery

SAVE FOOD MONEY



WE DELIVER

On every order we deliver free of charge to your kitchen.

Phone 271

271

Phones

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Consistent quality food service here is what is winning the women of Sikeston with its unusual satisfaction-giving and economy. Always lower prices, based not on lesser quality, but on savings we make in volume selling and buying. Use these savings to make your grocery dollar go pleasingly farther. This should be YOUR grocery.

Grocery Department Specials

BULK TEA, lb.39c

(For making Ice Tea)

GOLDEN DRIP COFFEE, 1 lb.38c

(Best for making Iced Coffee)

Big 4 White Naptha, 5 bars15c

There is no better white Naptha on the market. The bar is full size.

PINTO BEANS, 3 lbs.21c

Pride of West Corn, 2 cans23c

Radio Green Beans, 2 cans23c

Radio Fancy Kraut, 3 cans25c

Tomatoes, Fancy Pack, 3 for25c

These tomatoes guaranteed in every respect. They are superior to those offered at this price by some of our Foreign owned Competitors.

Fox Fancy Pork & Beans, 3 for25c

Fox Fancy Early Garden Peas,25c

Hominy, Fcy. white kernel, 3 for24c

Turnip Greens, lg. can22c

Spinach, Snider's Fcy., can15c

Quaker Crackels, new larger pkg.15c

FARMERS ATTENTION!

With each \$3.00 purchase in our Hardware & Harness Dept. you may buy

20 lbs. GRANULATED SUGAR \$1.00

10 years ago 20 lbs. of sugar cost you \$7.00

Yes—Every Friday and Saturday we sell

3 DOUBLE LOAVES, Fresh Home Bread25c

Every fruit or vegetable the market offers can be obtained from us. Let Miss Reese help plan your menu.

FOLKS: We want your trade. We need it. Give us an opportunity to prove our prices are right! Our service is being improved. Our store is being remodeled, and we only ask an opportunity to serve you.

Messrs. Moffatt, Jones, Middleton

Modernization of our store demands a reduction of our stock of Hardware and Harness. This is an unusual opportunity. READ EACH ITEM CAREFULLY

1 4-Burner Puritan Oil Stove, was \$ 37.75	special \$ 24.90
1 Ivory Enameled Majestic Range 128.00	special 98.50
1 Green Enameled Majestic Range 138.00	special 102.50

These are priced below cost. Opportunity knocks but once.

Norris No. 5 Leather Collars	were \$6.00	now \$3.75
1 assortment genuine leather collars	were 3.25	now 2.25
1 lot Jim Dandy cloth collars	were 2.50	now 1.75
1 assortment cloth collars	were 1.50	now .98
1½x18 ft. Leather Check Lines	value 4.45	now 3.48

Mr. Farmer: Buy your fall harness now! The saving is worth your while. See what others ask—then come here and buy!

ROOFING

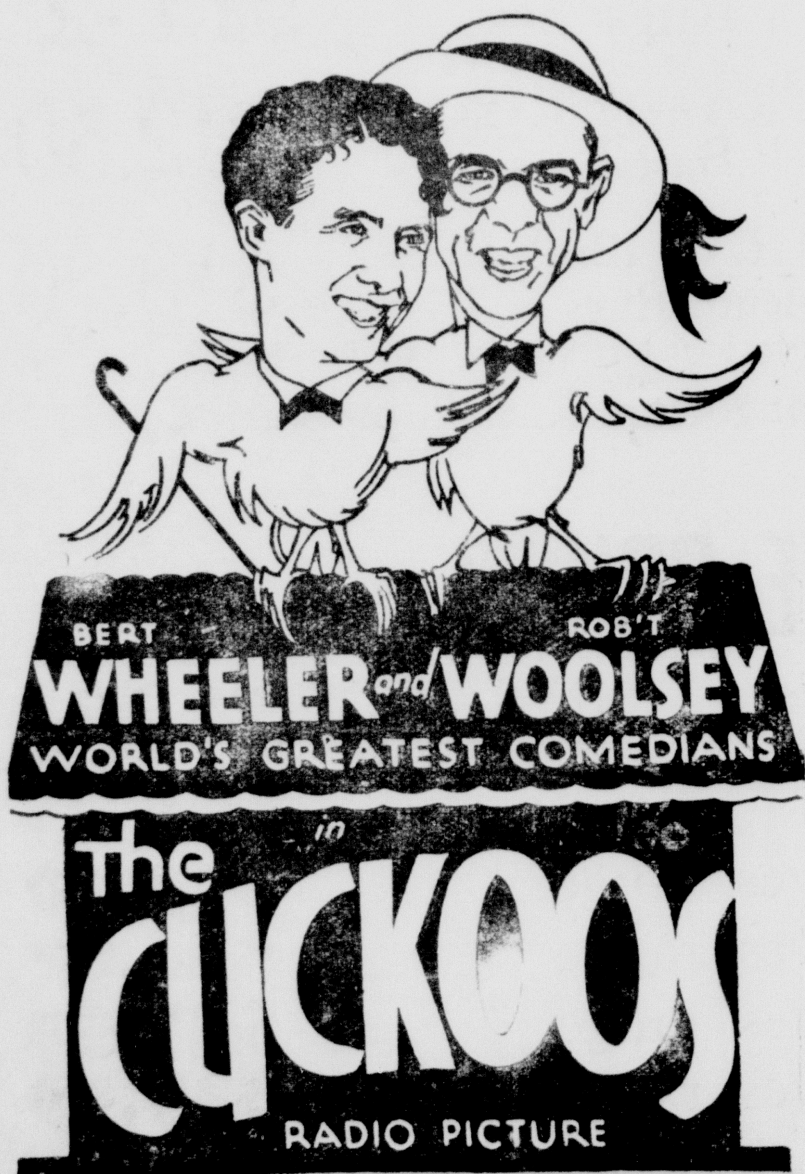
Extra Heavy 3-ply Rubber Roofing, \$3.25 value

\$2.48

MALONE THEATRE - Sikeston

Sunday and Monday
Aug. 10 and 11

AFTERNOON AND EVENING



News and Benny Rubin Comedy

"GENERAL"

Matinee: Sunday 2:30 p. m. Monday 3 p. m.

Feel Tired?
Get Back Your Strength
EVERY MORNING AND NIGHT TAKE
Dr. Thacher's
FREE SAMPLE
VEGETABLE
SYRUP
GALLOWAY'S DRUG STORE

Large Oaks From Small Acorns Grow---Lair Co. Celebrate Thirty-Second Anniversary

In 1898, a Southeast Missouri woman and her two sons invested the family savings in a small stock of miscellaneous articles, rented a building in Charleston and hung out their shingle "The Lair Variety Store".

Thirty-two years later the same firm with one of the original trio, still at the helm and a junior partner, celebrate their birthday. The small rented building has given place to a modern furniture mart complete in its smallest detail. Its many thousand square feet of floor space are covered with tastefully arranged articles—for display enters into the salesmanship of the Lairs, F. D., the senior member and P. D. Junior.

The year 1900 saw the beginning of the huge furniture selling enterprise. At that time exactly a stock of furniture valued at \$550 was added to the variety store as a sideline. Since that time the sideline grew and eventually crowded out of existence the variety line.

The Lair store management early decided upon progressive merchandising policies. Back in 1906 they startled the trade area by adopting the practice of putting up stoves, laying floor coverings and installing other furniture without extra cost. This idea of not being satisfied with ringing up a sale in the cash register and calling it complete found favor with Southeast Missourians, and additional service policies have gone into effect in subsequent years.

Even though economists still argue that time payment plans "ruined" the country, the Lairs found as early as 1908, that weekly and monthly payment plans were favorably received. The Charleston service institution claims credit for inaugurating this system in the furniture and house furnishing line in this part of Missouri. The idea was ad-

vanced another step in the year following when used items as trade-ins on new stock.

In 1911 the Lairs placed the first motor driven furniture delivery van in operation in this district, and in 1912 extended delivery service to farmers in Mississippi and adjoining counties.

A few years ago, Frank, Jr., entered the firm replacing Mrs. Lair and one of the senior members of the firm who had run their three score years and ten. Frank added new ideas and new blood to the already progressive institution.

In addition to being active in the furniture department, he is manager of the Undertaking Department in which a modern ambulance is of public importance. Under his direction this branch of the business has been modernized, and equipped so thoroughly that men familiar with that line claim it to be the outstanding funeral parlor and establishment in the district. The ambulance serves a wide area, and is in charge of careful attendants and experienced drivers.

F. D. Lair has won for himself, an enviable reputation as sage and "horse sense" philosopher in his week to week items termed "Lair Store News". He usually has a group of related articles, timely as to season and usage, but he invariably reflects the opinion of his district or his personality in a pointed paragraph or two. For instance, in his opinion, persons are "disappointed but not discouraged by the present disastrous crops." What is needed, says he, in business is still more hard work, improved service, careful and conservative buying.

The Lair Company's thirty-second birthday announcement takes the form of a double page advertisement in this issue. It might be added that

the Lairs not only believe in service, hard work and careful buying. They advertise consistently—and they rarely complain about "business depression".

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM MORLEY

Mrs. Otto Bugg has been on the sick list the last few days.

Miss Irene McAllister of Blodgett is a guest of Miss Eunice Strayhorn.

Mrs. Alford Bryant was a Cape Girardeau shopper the last of the week.

Mrs. Lottie P. Leslie and Mrs. L. C. Leslie were Benton business visitors, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Strayhorn and family moved to the Clark residence, Monday.

Mrs. Rilla Mabe of St. Louis visited last week with her mother, Mrs. Wm. Ervin.

Mrs. Leslie Watson and Miss Marie Esmon were Monday visitors in East Prairie.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Vaughn and children were Cape Girardeau visitors, Tuesday.

Much interest was shown in the election Tuesday and a good turn-out of voters reported.

Mrs. Mayme Eskridge of St. Louis visited her mother, Mrs. Elmira Bynum, a few days last week.

Robert, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Asa Bailey, has been very sick with malaria fever for several days.

F. A. Griggs, who suffered a slight stroke of paralysis last week, is improved and able to be up again.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hunter were 6 o'clock dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lett, one evening recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mize of Skeston are guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. Burette Chostner and children of Cape Girardeau spent Sunday at the J. O. Brasher home.

Carl Bailey of near Clarkton has been visiting relatives and former schoolmates here the past few days.

Mrs. Tom Ervin returned Saturday from Doniphan, where she attended a camp meeting of the Church of God.

Misses Sarah Daugherty and Janice Emerson are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Joyce in Vanduser this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Mayfield and children and Edwin Statler of Jackson were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Zimmerman.

Miss Eva Mize of Cape Girardeau is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Mize and recuperating from a tonsil operation.

Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Anthony and little daughter, Margaret, and Mrs. Frank Stranks, all of Skeston, visited at the L. L. Hunter home, Friday.

Mrs. Harrison, mother of Mrs. Jake Baer, died Tuesday and was buried Wednesday, Rev. C. W. Miller in charge of the service, which were held at the cemetery.

Mrs. Lottie Leslie, Mrs. R. Vaughn, Mrs. C. W. Miller and Mrs. C. A. Stallings went to Skeston Wednesday morning to attend the W. M. U. Institute of Charleston Association.

Mrs. A. H. Holman and daughter, Helen, of Portageville, returned to their home Sunday, accompanied by Miss Mildred Huffstetler, following a four-day visit at the Huffstetler home.

Mrs. Maude Daugherty and son, Will, left Tuesday for Farmington to visit Mrs. Howard Miller and bring home her daughters, Maxine and June, who have been there the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Darter left the last of the week for their home in Racine, Wis., after an extended visit with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Foster, during which time it was necessary for Mrs. Darter to undergo a major operation.

PAT NOONAN IN AUTO WRECK TUESDAY EVENING

Pat Noonan, Survey Chief of the local Division 10 office and his three children were involved in a minor automobile accident on Highway 61 near Grays Ridge about 5 o'clock Tuesday evening. Noonan and Patrick, Jr., suffered minor bruises and cuts about the head. The other two children escaped with lesser injuries.

Noonan stated that his three youngsters "wanted to take a ride", when he started to work after the noon meal. He was returning home when the car swerved in loose gravel, turning over completely. A passing Skestonian picked up the injured and ailing and brought them to the city.

During the World War 37,568 States soldiers were killed in action. In 1929, 33,061 lost their lives in the United States in automobile accidents. What do you think about it?

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM NEW MADRID

Robert King of Portageville visited friends here, Sunday.

Edwin McCaine of Caruthersville visited friends here, Sunday.

Miss Lucille Sloas is assisting in the Circuit Clerk's office this week.

Mrs. J. A. Sutterfield of Skeston was a New Madrid visitor Tuesday.

Dee Roling of Charleston was a guest in the Shap Hunter, Jr., home Sunday.

Bill Smith of Skeston is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Charles Berthe, this week.

T. G. Wilson and B. F. Petty attended the Malone Theatre in Skeston, Sunday.

Miss Josephine Robbins was a dinner guest in the Wm. Dawson home Saturday evening.

Miss Geraldine DeLisle, Deputy Circuit Clerk, spent Tuesday with her parents in Portageville.

Miss Ella Helen Smith of Skeston spent the week-end here with her sister, Mrs. Charles Berthe.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Warlick and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hunter attended the theatre in Skeston Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan McCoy of Puxico were Sunday visitors of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Beck.

Miss Dolly Boone was the charming hostess to several of her friends with two tables of bridge, Saturday afternoon.

George Boone, who is stationed on a government boat near Island No. 8, spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Boone.

Miss Ruth LaFont of St. Louis, spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus La Font. Sunday she visited relatives in Portageville.

Ed and Jake Chalker, who have been employed with Wilbanks & Pierce Const. Co. doing levee work here, have resigned their position, and will leave the latter part of the week for their home in Florida.

Miss Laura Riley was hostess to a large number of the young society set Monday evening, with a party at the De Luxe Confectionery, where dancing was enjoyed until a late hour, at which time a refreshing lunch was served.

The Board of Directors of Cons. School Dist. No. 9, met Monday evening and elected Clement Emil Koerber of Cape Girardeau to fill the vacancy of principal in the high school, caused by the resignation of Miss Anna Johnson.

The contract for the colored school was awarded at a meeting of the Board of Directors Monday evening, to LeSieur and McBaine of Lilbourn. Work of building an addition to the present colored school building will be started at once.

Otis Dowdy, employed on the new high school building, motored to Cape Girardeau Sunday and was united in marriage to Miss Elsie McClure of Dexter. The couple will spend a week's honeymoon in New Madrid, after which Mrs. Dowdy will leave for Dexter, where she will be employed in the public school system this year.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM MATTHEWS

Little Betty Jo Deane is very ill at this writing.

The election here passed off very quietly with only a fairly large crowd in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Stroud and children are visiting with relatives in Evansville, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Hall of near Kewanee visited Mr. and Mrs. Brit McGee, Wednesday.

J. Lumsden and son, Hubert, of Canalon spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lumsden.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Deane and little grandson, Ralph, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Alsop motored near Morley Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Mainord and children, Miss Madge and O. K., Jr., of New Madrid, were Matthews visitors Monday evening.

Misses Margie and Irish Burch and Joe Lindensmith motored to Evansville, Ind., Wednesday to spend a few days visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Davidson and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Grissom and Miss Ruby Grissom went to Arkansas Saturday to visit relatives.



PIGGLY WIGGLY

"THE MODERN WAY"

HEAD LETTUCE, lb. -----20c

CARROTS, per bunch -----4c

Green Beans, 2 lbs. -----25c

Lemons, 360 size, per doz.---39

EGG PLANT



"Good to the last drop"

1 lb. cans -----38c

3 lb. cans -----\$1.14

CELERY, 2 stalks -----15c

BEETS, per bunch -----4c

Fresh Tomatoes, basket-----20c

Fresh Corn, tender, full ears, per doz. -----30c

CAULIFLOWER

All Flavors

3 for 20c



P. & G. SOAP, 3 bars-----10c

Oxydol, small size, 2 for---15c

H. & K. Coffee, lb. can-----38c

Milk, all kinds, tall cans, 3 for -----25c

Lux Toilet Soap, 3 bars-----20c

Super Suds, 3 pkgs. -----25c

Santos Peaberry Coffee, 1 lb. pkg. -----25c

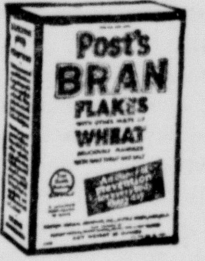
Army and Navy Cocoa hard water soap, 2 bars -----15c



Small Pkgs.
3 for 20c

Large Pkgs.
2 for 21c

2 Packages
22c



Campbell's Pork & Beans, 3 for -----22c

Corn, med. tin, 3 for-----25c

Domino Pure Cane Sugar, 25 lb. cloth bag -----\$1.34

MARKET

BEEF ROAST, -----21c

BEEF STEW -----15c

SPARE RIBS -----15c

Cured Hams, skinned, 1/2 or whole -----28c

DRY SALT CHUNK -----12 1/2c

Pork Shoulder Roast -----22c

PORK SAUSAGE, pure -----18c

PURE HOG LARD -----12 1/2c

Sugar Cured Bacon, 1/2 or whole -----25c

DRY SALT SIDE -----19c

I. Ben Miller's BEST

ICE CREAM



You owe it to yourself to buy the very best, Grade A ice cream. For next Sunday the Bijou offers two popular flavors at special rates:

Fresh Peach and Vanilla
per Quart 50c---Pint 25c

THE BIJOU

"Where Good Fellows Meet"

Announcement of Appreciation

I wish to express my thanks to the voters of Scott County for renominating me to the office of Collector of Revenue.

I appreciate the loyal support of my friends which resulted in the splendid vote I received at the Primary Election August 5th.

If elected in November, I promise you the same courteous treatment, prompt and efficient service that has always been given you during my term of office.

Very truly yours,

EMIL STECK

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday school—9:30 o'clock.
Morning services at 11:00 o'clock.
Sermon: "Honor thy Father and thy Mother".
The Intermediate, Young People's and Adult Endeavor groups meet at 6:30. Evening services at 8 o'clock, sermon: "Thou Shalt Not Kill".

LUTHERAN CHURCH

Regular church services will be conducted Sunday at the Lutheran church. Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Regular morning worship at 10:30 o'clock.

The Standard \$1.50 per year.

Quick Loans

You can borrow up to \$300 from us under our complete, confidential loan service for the family and single person. Let us help you with your money problems. Call, phone or write

Public Loan Corp.
Cape Girardeau

No Endorsers Required

Mentzville—Vance L. Ringe purchased interest of J. W. Ruhl Ford Motor Company.

Fredericktown—W. B. Cole received contract for paving business streets surrounding public square.

To the Voters of Scott County

I wish to express to the voters of Scott County my sincere appreciation for their support in my race for County Clerk, at the election Tuesday, August 5th, and if elected to this office in November, I will continue the practice of courtesy and service at all times.

Faithfully yours,

J. Sherwood Smith
County Clerk

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM BLODGETT

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Vickery of Akron, Ohio, are visiting relatives here.

Clyde McCallister has returned from St. Louis, where he has been employed since March.

Mrs. E. J. Neinstedt and Mrs. E. R. Putnam and children visited with friends and relatives at Charleston, Friday.

There has been several car loads of melons and hay loaded here this week. Mr. Armstrong of Cape Girardeau bought them.

Coming To DEXTER and CAPE GIRARDEAU

DR. DIETERICH
SPECIAL ATTENTION
in internal medicine

DOES NOT OPERATE
Will be in
Dexter on Friday and Saturday,
August 8 and 9 at the Jeffersonian
Hotel ONE DAY. Hours: 10-3 and
in Cape Girardeau on Monday
and Tuesday, August 11 and 12, at the St.
Charles Hotel from 10 a. m. to 4 p.
m. TWO DAYS ONLY

No Charge for Consultation

Many in this community will avail themselves of the opportunity to visit Dr. Dieterich on this special visit to Dexter and Cape Girardeau. The doctor pays special attention to the SCIENCE OF INTERNAL MEDICINE AND DIETETICS. He is trying conscientiously to eliminate surgery in his treatment of disease as far as possible.

He has to his credit many wonderful results in diseases of stomach, (especially ulcers), glands (especially goitre), ailments of women, diseases of liver and bowels, as infected gall bladder, gall stones, appendicitis, chronic constipation, colitis, auto-intoxication and rectal ailments, circulation disturbances as high or low blood pressure, heart and blood disorders, skin, nerves, bladder, kidneys, bed-wetting, weak lungs, tonsils, adenoids, metabolic disturbances such as Rheumatism, sciatica, leg ulcers and chronic catarrh.

Medicines are prescribed and prepared for each individual case in his private laboratory, also special attention given to diet as to proper balance and selection of foods.

Diseases of the eyes treated and glasses fitted.

**GIVE YOUR EYES
THE VERY BEST**

For this service a nominal charge is made.

Dr. Dieterich is a regular graduate in medicine and surgery and is licensed by the State of Missouri.

MARRIED WOMEN MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY THEIR HUSBANDS, AND MINORS BY THEIR PARENTS.

Address: 332-336 Boston Block, Minneapolis, Minnesota.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Spencer were in town Tuesday on business.

Dr. Cannon and family were in Blodgett, Saturday on business.

Speaking of sitters, Blodgett has them too, but they are too lazy to climb a tree.

Mrs. E. C. Graham and son and Mrs. Harry Stubbs shopped in Sikeston Wednesday.

Mrs. Jene Pratt of St. Charles, La., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Marshall.

Claude Holmes and son, Harold of Blytheville, Ark., are visiting at the W. W. Lemons home.

J. W. Parker made a business trip to Fredericktown, Farmington and nearby towns last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Sadler and baby of Wilson, Ark., are visiting their parents this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Marshall and baby of Morley were week-end guests of Alfred's parents here.

Audrey Reams of Memphis, Tenn., and his sisters of St. Louis are here for a visit with their mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Marshall took their baby to Cape Girardeau Wednesday to consult a doctor.

Mrs. E. J. Neinstedt and Louise and Mrs. E. R. Putnam and children were Cape Girardeau shoppers Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stubbs and family, and Dr. F. L. Ogilvie were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Huey, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Nunnelee and family visited John Fred Nunnelee at Jefferson Barracks, Sunday. John Fred is in C. M. T. C. camp there.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Blackwell and family and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Clippard and family left Sunday for a week's fishing trip in Wayne County.

Dr. and Mrs. Bradford of Lincoln, Ill., visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ike Marshall, this week. Mrs. Bradford is better known as Miss Lessie Marshall.

The body of William White, formerly of Diehlstadt, was brought here Saturday for burial. Mr. White was injured at Brunswick, Mo., July 13, and died at Woodland Hospital, Moberly, July 30. He was employed by the Kansas City Bridge Co. at the time of the accident. Besides his mother, one brother and three half-brothers of St. Louis, he leaves a half brother, Harvey Huey and sister, Mrs. Cal Spencer, of Blodgett.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM MATTHEWS

Rev. O. P. Swope preached at the M. E. Church, Sunday.

Lavelle Cox motored to Cape Girardeau Friday evening.

Tom Burch of Detroit, Mich., is here visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Zimmer were Sikeston shoppers, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy of Canalou were in Matthews Saturday evening.

Rub Johnson of New Madrid spent the week-end with his wife and children.

W. Wilson of near Canalou was in Matthews Sunday to attend the ball game.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Holderby motored to Caruthersville Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Forese and children visited with relatives in Sikeston, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Englehart and little son were Cape Girardeau visitors, Thursday.

Little Laura Anna Dickey of Memphis, Tenn., is visiting with her aunt, Mrs. J. H. Turnage.

Mrs. Joe Caruthers and children and Mrs. Leasel Caruthers shopped in Sikeston, Saturday.

Mrs. W. Zimmer is at home after attending college for the past summer in Cape Girardeau.

Miss Verna King and John Sells went to Lilbourn Friday and Saturday to take teachers' examinations.

Little Abbey Lee Daugherty of Sikeston is visiting with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Daugherty.

Bob and Lester King returned last Friday from Tennessee, where they have been visiting their brother, Roy King.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Warren and little son, Jean Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Shell were Sikeston visitors, Saturday.

Mrs. W. H. Deane, Wm. Deane, Jr., and Mrs. Roy Alsop motored to Canalou Friday to attend the funeral of Seth Thomas Nelson.

A large number of young folks enjoyed a picnic and swim at the east ditch Friday evening. All reported having a very enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. King went to Tennessee Saturday, where they will spend a few weeks with their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Roy King.

Mrs. Lila Lowe, Miss Mildred Nelson of Canalou and H. Nelson of Trenton, Mich., were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Deane, Sunday.

A very interesting game of baseball was played here Sunday afternoon with Risco. The score was 9-7 in favor of Matthews. A large crowd witnessed the game.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Deane motored to Cape Girardeau Sunday to spend the day with their daughter, Mrs. Aubrey Lurnit, and to get their daughters, Misses Alice and Frankie, who have attended school in that city this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Florence Critchlow and children and Miss Glenda Waters left Friday morning for a four weeks' tour in the west. They will visit Yellow Stone National Park while on their trip. They plan to be back by September 1.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM NEW MADRID

Alfred Stepp is expected home Monday, after a week's business trip in St. Louis.

Clara Drinkwater, County Nurse, spent the week-end with her parents in Charleston.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus LaFont and family moved to their new home on Davis Street this week.

Lee Hummel returned Saturday from Chicago, where he looked after business matters.

Mrs. Dan Meoy of Puxico is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bock for a few days.

Miss Martha Lee Hall of Blytheville, Ark., is the guest of her cousin, Miss Harriett Judge.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Chesire and Mrs. Charles Berthe were Sikeston visitors Friday afternoon.

Miss Catherine O'Donnell of St. Louis is the guest of the A. B. Hunter farm at LaForge this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Conway of Bonne Terre are visiting their daughter, Miss Dorothy, of the Orchid Beauty Parlor.

Walter Matthews of St. Louis arrived Friday night for a visit with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Peck and family.

Miss Laura Louise Robbins of St. Louis is visiting her father and other relatives on the Robbins plantation near Marston.

Supt. Ralph McCullough arrived Saturday from Columbia, where he attended the summer term at the University of Missouri.

Miss Cathrine Jane Mitchell and brother, C. A., Jr., of Memphis, Tenn., are visiting their aunt, Mrs. H. G. Sharp and family.

Wm. Dawson, Jr., and Misses Laura and Virginia Peck and Kathryn Matthews spent the day in Memphis, Tenn., last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Shainberg and children and sister, Miss Gertrude Shainberg, returned Thursday, after a week's visit with relatives and friends in St. Louis.

Dr. and Mrs. Paul O. Huth of Cambridge, Ohio, arrived Saturday for a few days' visit to the latter's mother, Mrs. Clay Hunter at La Forge. Mrs. Huth will be remembered as Miss Marie Hunter.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Chesire, accompanied by Mrs. Bidwell and daughter, Joann, and Mrs. Charles Berthe attended the Malone Theatre in Sikeston Thursday.

Miss Harriett Hunter left Saturday for Washington, D. C., where she is a student nurse, after spending a two weeks' vacation here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hunter, Jr.

Miss Helen Halter, assistant postmistress for the past year, has resigned her position and returned to her home in Golconda, Ill., Saturday, where she will reside with her parents.

Miss Margaret Mary Hunter has resigned her position as stenographer in the Scott County Milling Co., at Sikeston and is at home here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Shap Hunter, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Oglesby and daughter, Miss Ansel of Deerfield, Fla., arrived the latter part of the week and will spend several weeks here with their daughter, Mrs. Alfred Stepp and family.

Mrs. Ambrose Kerr and small daughter motored to Cape Girardeau Saturday to accompany home another daughter, Miss Irene, who has been attending the summer term at the State Teachers College, Cape Girardeau.

Miss Florence Crisler will arrive home the early part of the week to spend the rest of the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Crisler. Miss Florence attended the summer term at Missouri University, Columbia.

Among those who attended the Cole Bros. Circus at Sikeston Friday evening were: Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Baynes and family, Mr. and Mrs. M. Grimes, Mr. and Mrs. Norvel Reddick and family, Miss Alice Berryman and E. S. White.

The following young people enjoyed dancing by the radio at the home of Miss Mildred Galloway Thursday evening: Misses Mary Hunter, Laura Allen, Laura Lee and Agnes Hunter, Alice Berryman, Herman Crisler, Pinnell Hunter, Rex Igo, Joe Wiley, Ted Eisan and J. Strickland.

The city of New Madrid is being sued for \$6000 damages by Rose Williams, colored woman, who alleges that her grandson fell on a bad crossing and injured his arm, side and head, a year ago, and they are still troubling him. She is suing for \$5000 for the boy's injuries and \$1,000 for her care of him during the year.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM MOREHOUSE

Matt Hunter of Moline, Ill., is visiting Harry Hunter.

Kirt Todd of Owensboro, Ky., visited friends in Morehouse last week.

Buck Tickell of Poplar Bluff is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Tickell.

Miss Gertrude Crumpecker of Cape Girardeau spent the week-end in Canalou.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Stanley of New Madrid visited friends in Morehouse last week.

Miss Lucille McDonough and Miss Leda Mae Daugherty of Morley were Morehouse visitors, Monday.

Baker Headlee of Wichita, Kas., is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Headlee.

Mrs. Brooks Pinnell and family of Caruthersville are spending this week as guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Tickell.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Wofford and Nada Wofford of Cape Girardeau were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ducky Wofford, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Mosley and family and Miss Helen Mosley of Cleveland, Ohio were guests of Mrs. Caleb Reynolds last week.

Miss Catherine Fisher was the guest of Miss Melba Hudson and Margaret Himmelberger of Cape Girardeau over the week-end.

Slim Farris and family, former residents of Morehouse, but who for the past five years resided in Risco, returned to Morehouse Saturday to make their future home.

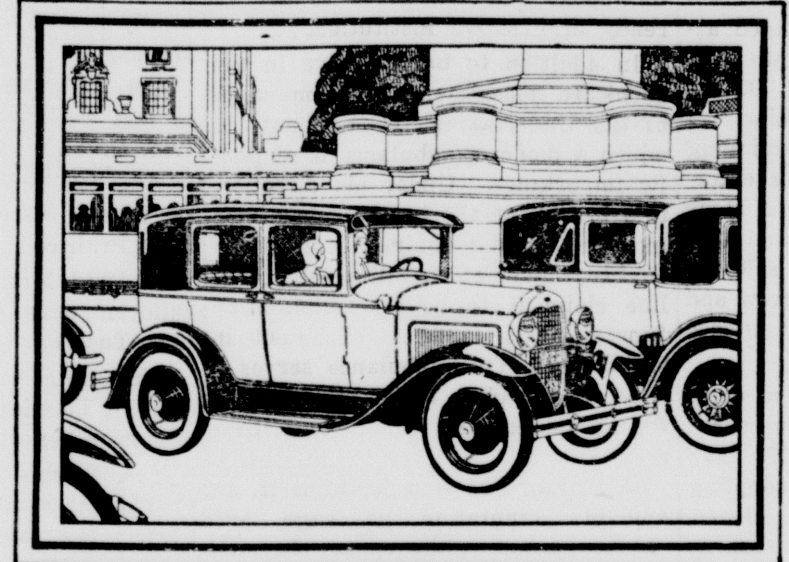
Mr. and Mrs. John Himmelberger spent Sunday in Cape Girardeau as guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Himmelberger, Sr. They were accompanied by Mrs. G. R. Fisher, who has been in Cape Girardeau for the past two weeks.

Mrs. Ducky Wofford entertained with a stag party Friday, August 1 in honor of her husband's birthday. Those present were: D. L. Fisher, E. V. Darnell, Charlie Albright, Harry Dillon, John Spence, Jr., John Parrish, Russell Bienert and Dode Hart.

TRUSTEE'S SALE

Default having been made in payment of principal and interest, secured by note described in deed of trust, executed by Ethel Carr and Alf Carr, dated March 28th, 1929, and recorded on the 19th day of April, 1929, in office of the Recorder

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The Ford Motor Company looks upon itself as charged with making an automobile that will meet the needs of millions of people and to provide it at a low price. That is its mission. That is its duty and its obligation to the public.

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The greatest progress comes by never standing still. Today's methods, however successful, can never be taken as wholly right. They represent simply the best efforts of the moment. Tomorrow must bring an improvement.

ment in the methods of the day before. Hard work usually finds the way.

Once it was thought impossible to cast gray iron by the endless chain method. All precedent was against it and every previous experiment had failed. But fair prices to the public demanded that wasteful methods be eliminated. Finally the way was found.

A better way of making axle shafts saved thirty-six million dollars in four years. A new method of cutting crankcases reduced the cost by \$500,000 a year. The perfection of a new machine saved a similar amount on such a little thing as one bolt. Then electric welding was developed to make many bolts unnecessary and to increase structural strength.

Just a little while ago, an endless chain conveyor almost four miles long was installed at the Rouge plant. This conveyor has a daily capacity of 300,000 parts weighing more than 2,000,000 pounds. By substituting the tireless, unvarying machine for tasks formerly done by hand, it has made the day's work easier for thousands of workers and saved time and money in the manufacture of the car.

All of these things are done in the interest of the public—so that the benefits of reliable, economical transportation may be placed within the means of every one.



FORD MOTOR COMPANY

of Deeds for Scott County, Missouri, at Benton, Missouri, in Book Number 59, Page 176, conveying to the undersigned the following described real estate and improvements thereon, in the County of Scott and State of Missouri, to-wit:

All of Lot Three (3), Block Eight (8), Chamber of Commerce Addition to the City of Sikeston, Scott County, Missouri.

Now in accordance with the terms and conditions of said note and deed of trust and the legal holder and owner of said note and deed of trust, having declared the whole debt due as secured thereby, and demand having been made for payment of principal and interest now due on said principal and deed of trust, I will, at the request of said legal holder and owner, on

SATURDAY, AUGUST NINTH, 1930,

between the hours of 9 a. m. and 5 p. m. of said day sell the above described property to the highest bidder for cash at the front door of the Court House in Benton, Mo., for the purpose of satisfying said debt and costs.

M. G. GRESHAM, Trustee.

NOTICE OF SALE UNDER SPECIAL EXECUTION

By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court in and for the County of Scott and State of Missouri, returnable to the August, 1930, term of said court, and to me directed, wherein the St. Louis Joint Stock Land Bank of St. Louis, a corporation, is plaintiff and Fred Dierssen, Maud Dierssen, Southeast Missouri Trust Company, a corporation of Cape Girardeau, P. N. Keller, Trustee, First National Bank of Chaffee, a corporation and W. M. Moit, are defendants, I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate and personal property, situate in said County of Scott

and State of Missouri, described in the decree of the Circuit Court of Scott County, Missouri, dated March 20th, 1930, which decree foreclosed a deed of trust and resulted in personal judgment against the defendants, Fred Dierssen and Maud Dierssen, to-wit:

The Northeast Quarter of Section Twelve (12), Township Twenty-nine (29) North, of Range Twelve (12) East of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres, more or less, in Scott County, Missouri, together with all rents, issues, profits, crops and improvements thereon and all growing crops. And I will on

MONDAY, AUGUST 11TH, 1930 between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of said day at the east door of the Court House in said County and State, sell at public auction, for cash in hand to the highest bidder the property described to satisfy said execution and costs.

Dated at Benton, Missouri, this 8th day of July, 1930.

T. M. SCOTT, Sheriff, Scott County, Missouri H. C. Blanton Attorney for Plaintiff.

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ZIMMERMAN MAY BE NOMINEE OVER FULBRIGHT TRAILS IN SCOTT COUNTY BY 500 BALLOTS

Orville Zimmerman, of Kennett, may be the nominee as the Democratic Congressional candidate from the 14th District, according to the expressed judgment of political observers Wednesday morning. In Scott County, Zimmerman trailed 1174 to 1704, a margin of 530 votes with six precincts still to be heard from.

Unofficial returns began to sift in late Tuesday night giving Zimmerman a lead of 4750 in his home county of Dunklin, and a narrow margin of 100 votes in Pemisnot. He lost Stoddard by 60. Fulbright's lead in Scott County may be as high as 800 when the final count is available.

The south end of Scott County was swamped in the Tuesday primary. J. Sherwood Smith defeated Hal Boyce in the County Clerk race by a margin of 251 votes. The count stood 2276 for Smith to 2025 for Boyce with all precincts accounted for.

T. F. Henry, the incumbent was defeated by Leo J. Pfefferkorn for the nomination to the office of Clerk of Circuit Court. Henry polled 1651 votes to 2658 for Pfefferkorn. Sikeston, Vanduser, McMullin, Rootward, Miner and Lusk went to Henry while all other precincts in the county went heavily for Pfefferkorn.

Emil Steck, favorite in the north part of the county, was renominated over H. E. Dudley, the Sikeston champion, and L. P. Driskill of Oran,

by a satisfactory majority of 608. Dudley had an easy eight-to-one lead in Sikeston, polling 884 to 127 and 55 for Steck and Driskill, respectively. Illmo and Fornfelt, however, were equally solid for Steck and cut down the early lead held by Dudley making the final count Steck 2303, Dudley 1007 and Driskill 455.

H. F. Kirkpatrick of Morley and Benton is the Democratic nominee for the office of Recorder over his opponent, Ralph Mattocks, of Chaffee. Kirkpatrick finished the race with a majority of 917, polling a total of 2543 to 1626 for Mattocks. Kirkpatrick was an easy favorite in most of the county precincts. However, Chaffee, Oran, Fornfelt and Sikeston turned out strong votes for the editor-candidate.

O. L. Spencer of Benton defeated T. B. Dudley of Sikeston in the nominee's race for the office of Probate Judge. Spencer polled 2410 votes to 1857 for Dudley giving him a majority of 553.

The entire county vote was light in accordance with pre-election predictions.

Incomplete returns give Brown Jewell a safe majority over Walker Taylor in the race for Constable of Richland Township.

Additional and probably more accurate returns will be found on another page of this issue.

'COTTON 66 PER CENT NORMAL' FOSSICK

An argument of nearly two months duration seems to be settled with some degree of finality, following the published announcement Wednesday in the Memphis Commercial Appeal by George L. Fossick that the cotton crop on August 1 was 66.4 normal.

"The indicated probable production is 13,668,000 bales," says Fossick, "as compared with a condition 69.6 normal last August 1". The prediction last year was 15,543,000, indicating a shortage of some two million bales this year.

Growers here are divided upon the point of cotton damage by the present drought. That the crop will be cut is generally agreed, but the amount of damage is a controverted matter.

A new angle was presented this week on the corn crop situation. It is freely stated that the Sikeston area production of corn is cut from 40 to 60 per cent. However, one grower who has earned a national reputation as a grower of seed corn gives as his opinion that the total production will be cut from 40 to 50 per cent, but that the increased acreage this year may bring total production up to or only slightly below normal.

He points out that thousands of acres of rich bottom land which has laid idle for the past two or three years is under cultivation this year, and in 90 per cent of cases was planted to corn. This guess on the part of growers has in most cases proved to be correct. "Ridge" and "sandy" farms are burned up, and production of corn will be almost zero; whereas, corn, black bottom land, gives promise of a fair crop.

PIEDMONT BOY HERO MISSING FROM HOME

Poplar Bluff, August 5.—Edward Levell, 8, of Piedmont, applicant for a Carnegie hero medal for bravery, has been missing three days, according to officers at Piedmont today. Belief that he has been drowned or possibly kidnapped caused an extended search for him.

Last winter the boy saved a seven-year-old boy from drowning when the child broke through ice at a skating pond near Piedmont. His act attracted so much attention that the attention of the Carnegie Hero award was called to it, and a medal was sought.

He resided at the home of his uncle, Cleve Floyd.

GAIN TEN MEMBERS DURING TANNER BAPTIST REVIVAL

According to Rev. A. C. Rudloff, pastor of the local Baptist church, who has been conducting a revival in the Tanner community for the past week, a total of ten conversions are recorded to date. The meeting is being well attended, he states, and will continue this week.

LARGE CROWDS ATTENDING SERVICES IN MALONE PARK SATURDAY AND SUNDAY

Elder John B. Huffman, who is preaching in the band stand in Malone Park every Saturday evening and Sunday evening at 8 o'clock, announces good interest and attention and good crowds at each service.

He will preach on the streets Saturday afternoon about 2:30 in front of Sterling's 5 and 10 cent store—the shady park south of it. He invites all who can to be present.

Saturday evening at 8 o'clock Elder Huffman will talk on the famous "Battle of Armageddon", the spiritual battle between Christ and His saints and the devil and his armies and kings. Revelations, 16:16. This will be the greatest battle the world has ever known and all others will pale into insignificance beside it. If you know something about the Word of God or are a Bible scholar, it will do you good to hear this address. If you are not much acquainted with deep scriptural and spiritual things, you ought to hear this discourse anyhow.

Sunday evening at 8 o'clock, the speaker will preach on "Who is My Friend", or "There is a Friend That Sticketh Closer Than a Brother". Proverbs, 18:24.

Everybody invited to all services. Come and bring the children with you. There will be no respect of persons and all will be greeted with the same fellowship. Men and women, come in your every day clothes or in your finest apparel. Either way you choose. Don't absent yourself from service because of the lack of good clothes.

Glad to note that some of the most prominent people in town are attending the meetings in the park. Come again. Thank you.—John B. Huffman.

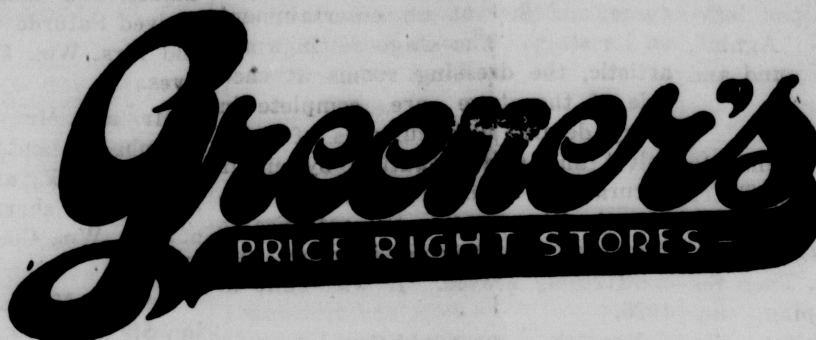
TREE SITTER CLAIMS RECORD WITH 375 HOURS

Jackson, Miss., August 1.—Robert Fritz, 9, passed the 375-hour mark today as a tree sitter and declares he will not come down, even if a private tutor has to be sent up the tree when school begins in September. A rainstorm yesterday failed to budge him from the chinaberry perch. He has a bicycle hung under a limb for exercise.

Chaffee, August 1.—Leon Crader, far ahead of the field in the tree sitting fad among boys, passed his 336th hour at 1 o'clock this afternoon. He started his endurance test in a tree at his home two weeks ago today.

Illmo, August 1.—John Gearing, last of Illmo's tree sitters, got tired and came down at 9 o'clock Thursday night after remaining aloft 252 1-2 hours. John went up to his perch in a tree Monday morning, June 21.

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Pin Check Pants

Good quality pin check, well made; pants that are always comfortable, and that wash perfectly. Special

\$1.00

Dress Shirts

Odd sizes and style from our stock of \$1.00 shirts, in white and colors. Special while they last, only

69c

Wash Ties

A group of wash ties in light colors, mostly in striped patterns. Also silk ties in polka-dots. Special

25c

SEERSUCKER PANTS

Just reduced. Our entire stock of men's seersuckers, formerly \$1.25. Reduced for quick clearance to

\$1.00

Duck Pants

White duck of good quality. Very popular for summer wear, and offered now at Greener's, at a lower price.

\$1.00

Men's Rayon Union Suits

In white, blue, lavender, peach and pink; a very popular and comfortable garment. Greener's lower price.

85c



Flaxon

Our regular 33c Flaxon prints, in fast colors and beautiful designs.

25c

Rayon Voile

Reduced from 98c; exquisitely colored floral designs, now only

69c

Fast Color Prints

36 inches wide, in blue, green and tan shirting patterns. Special

15c

Dewtone Crepe

36 inches wide, a rayon crepe that looks twice its price. All solid colors.

49c

ARBUTUS CLASS MEETS

The Arbutus Class of the Baptist church held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Lem Council, 757 Greer Street, Monday evening, August 4, with Mrs. Council, Mrs. Allen and Miss Myers hostesses.

The business meeting was followed with an hour devoted to social interests and was concluded with refreshments. Twenty-one members and six visitors were present.

The next meeting will be held at the church, from which the class will go to the country for a picnic supper. The members will then return to the church to elect officers for the ensuing year.

A slice of fried tomato is good served on a flat cake of hamburger steak.

J. S. Cutrell is slowly improving physically from his paralytic stroke. He is gradually getting the use of his leg and is also able to sit up quite a bit.

CAPAHAS TO PLAY LOCALS HERE SUNDAY

The Cape Girardeau Capahas will play a return game with Sikeston next Sunday on the local diamond, and try to avenge the drubbing handed out by Tom Malone's men at the home park several weeks ago.

The Capahas will have May, Fish and Kinder as possible moundsmen, while Malone plans on pitching Burris if the big fellow can work the soreness out of his delivery arm and shoulder this week. In case Burris is unable to come through Malone has a dark horse in mind, possibly young Alt of Charleston.

Rumor has it that Chili Simpson plans on showing the youngster to the Yanks at the close of this season. He is young, but has plenty of "stuff" part of which was demonstrated on the Sikeston diamond in the last inning of the Malden-Sikeston benefit game July 11.

As many Sikeston players as can

possibly be used will see action next Sunday. Malone explained that he wanted first of all to play a winning club, and to do that he was forced to hire players frequently, but that the treasury at present did not permit going strong on out of town help.

CARD OF THANKS

To the Baptist people and friends who were so kind to give in the showers that were given, we extend our thanks for those who had thoughts of us.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Cutrell.

J. F. McMullin of Essex was a Sikeston visitor the last of the week and while in the city called at The Standard office. He reports rain badly needed.

By laying 358 eggs in 365 days, a Barred Plymouth Rock pullet owned by the University of Saskatchewan has established herself as the present champion egg layer of the world.

GUARDSMEN LEAVE SATURDAY FOR CAMP CLARK, FIND BETTER FACILITIES THIS YEAR

Fifty Company K National Guardsmen in charge of Capt. Rufus R. Reed and First Lieutenant Wade Shankle entrained Saturday afternoon for Camp Clark, Nevada, Mo., where they will spend their annual two weeks encampment.

The trip was made by train, via Missouri Pacific over the Belmont branch, to St. Louis and into Nevada early Sunday morning.

The following clipping from the Democrat-Argus, Caruthersville adequately describes the improved camp facilities.

National Guardsmen from this section of the State will find a much improved camp awaiting them at Camp Clark this year upon their arrival there Sunday for their annual training ground activities. A full section of land immediately adjoining the 640 acres which has been in use for a number of years has been purchased since the last annual encampment and for the first time in the history of State military activities range has been provided and the State's big gun unit has not been forced to go outside Missouri for its regular practice.

With the enlargement of the grounds and the consequent change of plans, the military units this year was sent to Camp Clark in two divisions. During the period from July 20th to August 3rd the 110th Engineers from Kansas City and the 203rd Coast Artillery occupied the grounds and upon their departure next Sunday they will be succeeded by the 140th Infantry from Southeast Missouri and the 138th Infantry from St. Louis, forming the two principal units. In addition there will be the Headquarters contingent, 70th Infantry Brigade; the State Staff Corps and Departments; Headquarters Company, 70th Infantry Staff Corps and Departments; Headquarters

quarters Company and Detachment, 35th Division, from Warrensburg; and the 35th Tank Company from St. Joseph. Their period of training is from August 3 to 17th. The entire outfit will be under command of Gen. W. A. Raupp of Pierce City, Mo.

A number of improvements have been made at Camp Clark during the past year. Perhaps the most important is the new deep well which pumps 250 gallons of water per minute. This with the recently erected 50,000-gallon tank, insures an ample supply of water for the camp. Four new dining halls have been built, making a total of 45. Each hall seats 72 men. The buildings are well screened and the mess kitchens built in connection are thoroughly modern and equipped with every facility for feeding large numbers of men.

In former years each company disposed of its own garbage by burning it just outside the mess kitchen. Queer odors, dense smoke, and the constant attention of a re tender were the chief disadvantages of this method. The new garbage incinerator, built this year at a cost of \$4000, will prove a decided convenience and earn the undying gratitude of dozens of K. P.'s. Thirty-five hundred dollars has been spent to improve the sewerage system of the camp, and four new shower baths have been installed. Five thousand dollars worth of paint brightens up the various buildings of the reservation, including the glittering metal roofs of the dining halls.

The reservation now comprises 1280 acres, an additional 640 acres having been purchased by the government and added to it since last year, as stated. Camp Clark is now considered one of the finest military reservations in the United States and is fully equipped to handle large bodies of troops.

U. S. INQUIRY INTO NEWSPAPER PUFFS

Washington, August 4.—The practice among certain newspapers of printing publicity material of firms which use their columns for advertising will be investigated by the Post-office Department.

The postal laws require that publicity matter published as editorial or reading matter be plainly marked "advertisement". Failure to comply with this provision subjects the publisher a fine of from \$50 to \$500.

Newspaper publishers have complained that advertisers threaten to withhold advertising unless their publicity is printed.

According to Assistant Postmaster Tilton, a publisher who complies with such a request may be guilty of contributing to an act of conspiracy against the Government. In case of conviction under this provision, both advertiser and publisher may be fined \$10,000 or imprisoned for two years.

FINDS WAY TO USE HONEY IN MAKING ICE CREAM

Urbana, Ill., August 5.—Honey, used in the human diet for centuries, has been cast in a new role as a result of experiments just concluded by the experiment station of the College of Agriculture, University of Illinois.

It was established that honey can be used satisfactorily to replace 50 to 100 per cent of the sugar in an ice cream mix, and in these proportions gives so distinct a flavor that a new and pleasing variety is obtained. Fourteen different honeys were studied in the experiment and twelve of these were actually used in making ice cream, thus giving a wide range of flavors.

SIKESTON CONTRACTORS LOW BIDDERS FOR ROADS

R. H. Potashnick of Sikeston was low bidder for building 1.1 miles of 18-foot gravel road in Bollinger County. Norman Davis of Sikeston was low bidder for 4 miles of 24-foot graded earth road in Stoddard County.

NEGROES WILL CELEBRATE WITH PICNIC AUGUST 8-9

Two celebrations are being planned for negroes in this district on August 8 and 9. Music, singing, dancing and eats are features on both programs. One will be held at LaForge and another in the Tanner neighborhood.

PLAN GALA DAY IN CAPE OCTOBER THIRD

Cape Girardeau is arranging for a big gala day for Southeast Missouri Friday, October 3, at which time the magnificent stadium of the Southeast Missouri State Teachers College will be dedicated and the annual game of football will be played with the Southern Illinois State Normal University of Carbondale, Ill.

It will be one of the biggest celebrations ever held in Southeast Missouri. A committee of business men of Cape Girardeau met Tuesday in Houck Field House to work out the preliminaries for the occasion and the Cape Girardeau Chamber of Commerce assumed responsibility for the city's participation.

The mayor of Cape Girardeau will declare a holiday for the occasion, assuring a large local attendance. Hundreds will come from Carbondale with their team.

The Governors of Illinois and Missouri have been invited, as have the elective State officers in Missouri. The presidents of the State University and the other State Teachers Colleges, and many have accepted the invitation.

All high schools of Southeast Missouri will be invited and each will be asked to name a maid of honor to represent it. All high school bands in the district will be invited to take part in the monster parade that will end in the big bowl just before the game starts.

Full particulars of the many events of the day will be sent out later by the Cape Girardeau Chamber of Commerce.

TWO MEMBERS ADDED TO "CHOIR" OF BAPTIST CHURCH

The two proudest young men in Sikeston this week are L. B. Jones, son of the pastor of the Baptist church, and Rev. A. C. Rudloff, pastor. Both are brand new fathers.

Miss Dorothy Jean Jones, weight 7 3/4 pounds, was born last Sunday night to Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Jones. Miss Rudloff arrived early Wednesday morning and weighed at exactly 10 pounds.

The young ladies have indicated a desire to join the church choir in high soprano voices. The mothers and children are in perfect health.

Miss Ruby Evans will return Tuesday from Rochepot, Mo., where she has been spending her vacation with her parents.

Special Correspondent of Cairo Citizen Pays Visit to Skeston

Sikeston, Mo.—The Scott County Milling Company has the second largest flour mill in the State of Missouri. There is one in Kansas City that is larger. It also is the eighth largest in the United States. It has sixteen large storage elevators for grain and employs a large force of men. Nearly all the grain used is grown locally. It is a great asset to this community and is prospering.

Ice cream is one of the products manufactured here in Sikeston. It seems that vanilla and strawberry lead all others in popularity. The ice cream is frozen one day, put into an ice box 10 degrees below zero for at least 24 hours and then shipped in thermos cans to the dealer. Very little ice is really used in making, storing and shipping ice cream.

Eskimo pies, popsicles and Dixie cups are popular with the ice cream consuming urchin. By special arrangement, a person may get any flavor, color, or design of "it's a food and not a fad". The State law requires eight per cent of butterfat in ice cream, while the Sikeston plant puts out a product containing 14 per cent of butter fat.

Jas. A. Chewning is a contractor and builder. He was talking in regard to the type of houses he is now being asked to build these days. The

ladies no longer want larger houses. No parlors, small, yes, tiny kitchens with cupboards and cabinets built in. A very diminutive bath room, a bed room or two, with a day bed in the dining room and you have a modern bungalow. He has lived long in Scott County and has some interesting stories of her citizens.

J. J. Reiss is one of the largest dairymen in south Scott County. He has from 15 to 20 milch cows, raises most of the feed the cattle consume and as a result is not complaining about the decline of prices. The cow is the mother of prosperity and according to one man, this country would be better off with a good cheese factory and creamery butter plant than some other crops that are being raised.

Another man who has clung to the old method of farming is James M. Klein. He is an extensive farmer having over a thousand acres and raises Hereford beef cattle, mules, hogs, hay, wheat and corn. Nothing new or startling about these farm products, but they are staples. We all like a hamburger or barbecue sandwich and they require beef and pork to make them. Sometimes you need a microscope to find the beef in a hamburger, but look carefully and it can be found. As a rule, you

don't need the bun to hold the meat together.

Sikeston, Mo.—"Sikeston Greets U" is the slogan hanging over all the roads leading into Sikeston, Mo. How much different a tourist feels upon reading this greeting than he does when he reads "Bluffton—Speed Limit 10 Miles", or "Gasville—Traffic Laws Enforced". In many towns, however, it is necessary to look up the railroad station to find the name of the town or village. Upon leaving—"Sikeston Invites U Again", and you feel like turning around and going back.

The homes in Sikeston seem to abound in pillars and porches. There are Ionic, Corinthian, Doric, Colonial and then just plain pillars. It produces a picture of stability. Then the porches are marvelous, sleeping, sunshine, screened in, back, front, side, and porches with French windows, are just a few to be noticed. The walks leading up to the porches usually have several graceful curves in them. What artistic architects and landscapers must have planned the homes in Sikeston.

The greenest lawn and shrubbery in Scott County is on the high school property declared Mr. Hayden. The waterworks keep a small space green around their stand pipe, but look no over. It surely is a refreshing sight to see green grass, green flower beds and a green bank of shrubbery surrounding the beautiful gymnasium and school building.

L. R. Bowman, secretary of the Scott County Milling Company also keeps his lawn and garden fresh and green and it presents an object lesson of what a sufficient rainfall will do for this part of Southeast Missouri.

Until you have walked around the Sikeston Methodist church, gone into it, and sat down and enjoyed its beauty and then studied the well planned Sunday school rooms for all departments from the tiny tots in their circles of smaller chairs thru the intermediate grades to the adult classes with blackboard charts and maps, you have not seen Sikeston. It is the pride of the Rev. C. C. Barnhardt who has been pastor since 1927. The present church was erected in 1911 at a cost of \$60,000. The first regular pastor came in 1872 and since then there have been 29 pastors.

Besides the Methodist church, there are at least ten other churches which include the Christian, Baptist, Lutheran, Christian Science, Presbyterian, Catholic, Nazarene and three colored churches. Nearly all of these congregations are housed in commodious edifices and have regular worship. According to the census, Sikeston has one church for every 450 people, which is a very good percentage.

Sikeston, Mo.—Can you name the presidents of the United States in order? If not, you should visit the assembly room of the Sikeston high school and see their portraits hanging in order around the room. They are neatly framed in frames 15x21 inches. All are there from Washington to Hoover.

It seems that when Judge W. C. Bowman was president of the board of education, he had them framed and presented to the school. Mr. Hayden, the custodian, declared that he had to dig up an old United States history before he could place them in order. He remembers back when Buchard Hayes was elected dear reader. Could you have hung them in order?

The Sikeston Standard and Sikeston Herald are two weekly newspapers, which have a good circulation in this part of Missouri. The two offices have both such a volume of business that they are crowded in their quarters.

As a matter of fact, C. H. Denman, editor and manager of The Herald moved into new and larger quarters on Friday.

C. L. Blanton, Sr., is the editor of The Standard and knows the town and county very well indeed and has many things of interest in his crowded office. It is a fact that he can employ only tall thin men around his plant, or in other words, it is a fat man's misery. His job work is the larger end of his business.

J. H. Hayden is the truant officer and custodian of the Sikeston high school. He jokingly remarked: "I began this job with the new building in 1915, and the people don't know what a poor job I am doing because they have never had anyone else doing the work".

He is a man 61 years old, the father of four sons and two daughters and as soon as two of his sons finish high school, they will all have been granted diplomas by the local high

school. Two of the children are going to college. He is a fine looking man for his age and is 100 per cent for his job, his superintendent of schools and his board of education.

More outside people know the Sikeston high school by its athletic contest than by its work in the commercial or manual training departments. The gymnasium is a very well appointed building for physical training and community gatherings. Its floor will take care of 500 at a basketball game and 800 at an entertainment on its stage. The stage settings are artistic, the dressing rooms at each side of the stage are complete in every detail. The curtains of rich velvet and most beautiful by either natural or artificial lighting. Two historic friezes grace the entrance to the door. The balcony is large and comfortably seated. It was built in 1925.

Recently a new addition has been built on the main high school building so that the building is again symmetrical. There are about 900 pupils in the high school at present.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM MORLEY

Mrs. C. A. Stallings has been on the sick list the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Boyce attended to business near Unity, Saturday.

Oscar Duncan and son, Martin, went to Cairo, Ill., Monday on business.

Dave Mize visited his sister and brother at Cape Girardeau Saturday night.

Mrs. Henry Loftin went to Illmo the first of the week to visit her daughter, Mrs. Sanders.

A number of 4-H Club girls enjoyed a radio party with Miss Nancy Leslie Saturday night.

Robert Leslie left Wednesday for Fort Leavenworth, Kansas for a month of camp activities.

Mrs. A. L. Swaim of Sikeston spent Wednesday visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Vaughn.

Mrs. L. C. Leslie spent the past week in Charleston visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Acie Bailey are the proud parents of an 8 1-2 pound daughter born Wednesday, July 30.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Foster and children were Cape Girardeau visitors Friday afternoon and evening.

The appraisers on Highway 61 viewed the land in this community Thursday and Friday of last week.

Mrs. J. F. Grant of Cape Girardeau was a visitor of Mrs. Mollie Evans and Mrs. Ralph Vaughn, Friday.

The Intermediate B. Y. P. U. enjoyed a social on the church lawn on Tuesday evening with a good attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Watson are the proud parents of a 10-pound daughter, who arrived Wednesday, July 30.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Porter left Saturday night by motor for a week-end visit with relatives at Cypress, Illinois.

Miss Nancy Leslie returned Wednesday from an extended visit with her brother, Phil Leslie and wife, in St. Louis.

Miss Virginia Eachus of Lambertville was a week-end visitor of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. McDonough.

C. D. Jr., Mavereen and June Cummins of Cape Girardeau were week-end visitors at the Ralph Vaughn and J. R. Lee homes.

Mrs. Eugenia Tomlinson went to Benton Monday evening for an indefinite visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Buck.

Gardens are completely burned up in this section and instead of canning and preserving as housewives usually do at this season, it is necessary to buy everything we eat except potatoes and onions.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Ford and two daughters of St. Louis arrived Sunday for a visit with the former's parents and brother, Mr. and Mrs. L. Ford, Sr., and Jr.

Mrs. Anna Underwood, who makes her home with her daughter at Cape Girardeau, arrived Tuesday from Vanduser to visit at the Ralph Vaughn home until after election.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Ervin and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Early Gibson and daughter of St. Louis arrived Saturday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ervin and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Godwin, Mrs. Trumbaugh and Mrs. Sauer of Hot Springs, Ark., arrived Sunday afternoon for a short visit at the homes of Mrs. Wm. Clayton and Mrs. Ralph Vaughn.

Rev. D. M. Margraves, Mr. Caughlin, Mr. and Mrs. John Little, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ford, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Stallings were among the number who attended the church at Vanduser, Tuesday night

Mrs. Pauline Sparks of Memphis, Tenn., daughter of Mrs. Mary Kellems (nee May) of Chaffee, was buried here Tuesday. Mrs. Sparks leaves a husband, two children and her mother to mourn her untimely death.

Charley Murphy, who was critically injured by a fall at Kewanee in May, was brought from a Cape hospital to the home of his brother, Marion Murphy, Saturday. He is able to walk a little with the aid of crutches.

Members of the Church of God, who have held a three weeks' meeting in the opera house, enjoyed a basket dinner in the park Sunday with afternoon services held in the park and a baptizing at 4 o'clock at the Watson ditch.

Miss Marjorie Leslie celebrated her birthday with a swimming party Thursday afternoon to which the following were invited: Mabel Foster, Helen Miles, Eloise Stallings and Nancy Leslie. Delicious refreshments were served after the swim.

A. P. Hill expects to have a sale of his household goods and farming tools about the middle of the month and return to St. Louis, where he

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Konjola was so highly recommended by those using it that I decided to give it a trial. I could scarcely credit the change in my health after I had taken four bottles. My nerves are almost well again and I feel stronger in every way. My entire system had been helped and I have a good appetite. I am sleep well and am free from rheumatism and headaches. It is, indeed, a real pleasure to endorse this most unusual medicine".

There are thousands of men and women, of all ages and from all walks of life, who have eagerly endorsed Konjola. It has become the most talked of medicine in America today.

Konjola is sold in Sikeston at the Derris Drug Store, and by all the best druggists in all towns throughout this entire section.

lived before moving here about three years ago. His wife is already in St. Louis having been called there some time ago by the death of her brother's wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ford, Jr., left Friday afternoon for St. Louis, where Mrs. Ford will enter a hospital for a major operation. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. George Ford and daughters, who returned to their home in St. Louis, after a week's visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Ford, Sr.

The ice cream supper given by the Methodist ladies Saturday night, was a success financially the net amounting to \$30, for which they thank all who helped in any way. Those attending from Benton included Mr. and Mrs. Alden Pinney, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Amanda Elmore, Miss Alma Elmore and Mrs. Schubel and two daughters of Nashville, Tenn.

Versailles—Shell Service Station Bush Hotel.

Washington—Edmund and Carl Otto constructed midget golf course at Fourth and Cedar streets.

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is spreading over the land, will be surprised or displeased to learn that there are about ninety-three thousand vehicles of that description in use. The coming of the motor bus, however, has marked the passing of the joggling steamer, the narrow gauge railway, and the trolley, all of which seemed to have time to wind about, and carry the passenger by much that was pleasant to view. It is by no means all gain and no loss with the bus rider, but after all, it will require a good deal of argument to overthrow any line of reasoning that rests on the axiom that a straight line is the shortest distance between two points.

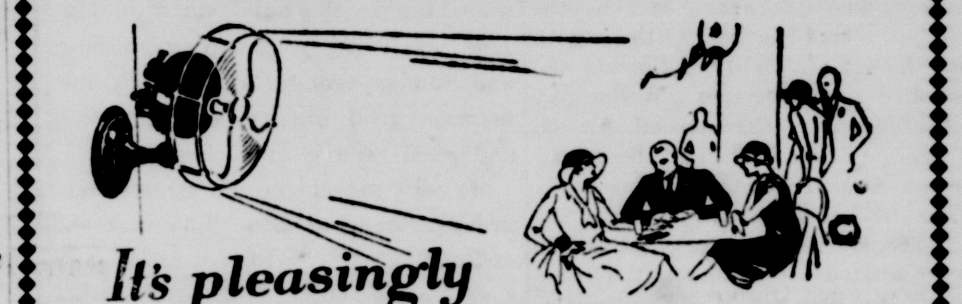
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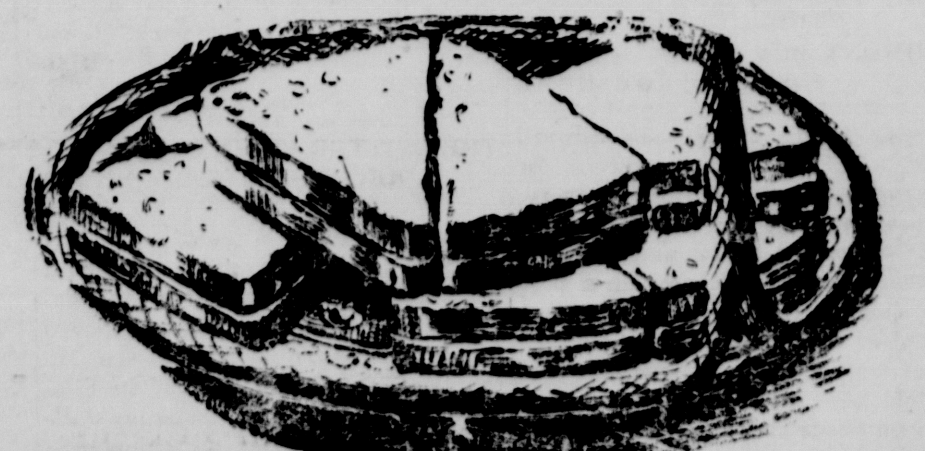
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MATINEE WED.—3:00

COMING—"THE ROGUE SONG"

Blind since an accident at the age of 6, Mary Cook Coward of Birmingham, Ala., is to study opera abroad. She has been a composer, concert singer and teacher of voice and has appeared in vaudeville and doubled in the talkies for stars who lacked vocal talent.

The Standard \$1.50 per year.

TO MAKE SOIL SURVEY FOR P. O.

According to the copy of a letter from J. A. Wetmore, Acting Supervising Architect, Washington, D. C., dated August 4, the contract to make a topographical survey and soil investigation for the Sikeston Post Office building will be completed within 15 days from receipt of the letter of instructions.

According to Wetmore's instructions, a copy of which was received this week by W. E. Hollingsworth, postmaster, the contract was awarded to S. A. Sulentic of Topeka, Kan., at a cost of \$375. Sulentic is instructed to follow specifications dated July 12, 1930.

According to Postmaster Hollingsworth, the contractor will probably appear in Sikeston this week-end to start the work. It is explained that the topographical survey and soil investigation is made for Federal building so that the building contractors will be accurately informed as to conditions. It is also a check used by the architects office in computing costs on the project.

Ben Hogan of St. Louis and Allen Lester of Columbia arrived in Sikeston Wednesday to spend a few days with friends.

CELEBRATES 76th BIRTHDAY

Mrs. J. W. Baker, Sr., last Sunday celebrated her seventy-sixth birthday anniversary with a family reunion and party. Besides the host of Sikeston friends and relatives present, R. M. Green of Nashville, Tenn., and his son, R. M. Green, Jr., and family of Birmingham, Ala., and Grant Green of Rosemead, Calif., were present. The two brothers, R. M. and Grant and Mrs. Baker are the only remaining members of a family of eleven children.

R. M. Green, Sr., enjoys the reputation of long continued railroad experience. Mr. Green was connected with railroading from 1898 until 1914 when he retired from active service.

Mrs. Golda Fowler Anderson returned to California, Wednesday, after a pleasant visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fowler.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom White and two little daughters left for a visit of ten days at McKinsie, Tenn. Mrs. White's two sisters, Miss Elizabeth and Kathleen Cooper, of Mississippi, will visit here until September 1.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Matthews, Jr., drove to Cairo Wednesday and visited Mrs. Jos. L. Matthews, who is a patient in St. Mary's Hospital. Mrs. Matthews' many friends will be pleased to hear that she is doing fine.

LATE RETURNS HAND FULBRIGHT LEAD

The Poplar Bluff American-Republic in a comprehensive unofficial survey of the Fourteenth District Wednesday evening, indicated that James F. Fulbright of Doniphan would win the Democratic nomination for Congressman of the district over Orville Zimmerman by a majority of from 500 to 1000 votes.

ARMY WORMS SHOW UP IN COTTON

The cotton leaf worm commonly termed "Army Worm" has been noted in cotton fields in the Sikeston district, according to growers who are attacking the pest with applications of calcium arsenate.

The cotton leaf worm is not present in alarming numbers at present, but it is pointed out by those who understand the life cycle of the pest, that a new and larger crop appears every three weeks. If unchecked by poisons or other means multiplication is rapid, and eventually entire fields of cotton are defoliated.

Workers on several large plantations have been busy the past week dusting calcium arsenate over the plants, for the worm feeds on leaves and can be killed by poison.

According to one large cotton grower here, cotton is being hurt to some extent by the drouth, but how much is exceedingly difficult to state. "Cotton", he states, "is peculiar in that one cannot tell until frost kills the plant, what may develop". He recalls the 1926 drouth. "At that time it was believed that the entire crop would be lost following a 76-day dry period. One week of rain about the middle of August, brought cotton out of the slump, and a bumper crop was the final result".

"If one hundred years of recorded experience is any indication, it is almost safe to say that dry years will yield more cotton than relatively wet years", he concludes.

A field of approximately forty acres of Wilson cotton, planted earlier than the average, located in the La Forge District, has started opening up. A half dozen well filled bolls were brought to town Thursday morning. "By next week-end", said this grower, "I believe I can pick about a bale of cotton".

GRAPES—For all purposes and plenty of them. \$1.00 bushel. Start picking Saturday.—Schenberg & Sons Orchard, on base line road, 3 miles north of Blodgett.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE UNDER EXECUTION

By virtue and authority of an execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court in and for the County of Scott, returnable to the August, 1930, term of said court, wherein Sturdivant Bank, a banking corporation, is plaintiff and Dan McCoy, Lizzie McCoy and Mary E. McCoy, are defendants, I have levied upon and seized all the right, title and interest of the above-named defendants in and to the following described real estate, situate in Scott County, Missouri, and described as follows, to-wit:

"Situate in the County of Scott, State of Missouri, and being a part of the South Half of Section 26, Township 26 North, Range 13 East, being bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the 1/4 corner between Sections 26 and 35, 26-13, Thence S. 89 degrees 35 minutes W. along the line between Sections 26 and 35, 26-12 a distance of 895.3 feet to the east line of the 43.510 acre tract laid off in the West part of the Southwest Quarter of Section 26, 26-13. Thence North along the East line of the said 43.510 acre tract at 1491.0 feet intersect the South fence line of the Morehouse and Sikeston public road. Thence N. 71 degrees 02 minutes E. along the said fence line a distance of 541.0 feet to a point; Thence N. 18 degrees 58 minutes W. a distance of 9.6 feet to a point. Thence N. 71 degrees 03 minutes E. at 1812.7 feet fall on the intersection of the South fence line of the Morehouse and Sikeston Public road with the East 1-16 line of Section 26, 26-13. Thence South 0 degrees 04 minutes E. along the said East 1-16 line a distance of 2170.0 feet to a channel iron set for the East 1-16th corner between Sections 26 and 35, 26-13. Thence S. 89 degrees 35 minutes W. along the line between Sections 26 and 35, 26-13 a distance of 1328.8 feet to the place of beginning, containing 91.584 acres. Surveyed during the month of March, 1915, by Benj. L. Parker", and I will on

FRIDAY, AUGUST 29th, 1930 between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the east door of the Court House in the Town of Benton, Scott County, Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the above-named defendants in and to the above described property, to the highest bidder, to satisfy said execution and costs.

Dated at Benton, Missouri, this 7th day of August, 1930.

TOM SCOTT, Sheriff, Scott County, Missouri.

HIGHWAY 61 LETTING TO BE HELD AUG. 22

According to C. D. Matthews, chairman of the State Highway Commission here, the contract for paving Highway 61 from the junction in Sikeston north to Benton, will be let on August 22.

Placing this stretch of Highway under contract assures early completion of an all-concrete primary highway between St. Louis and the Arkansas State line.

TO THE VOTERS OF SCOTT CO.

My affection for the good people of Scott County has not grown cold since my defeat in the primary. My opponent has won a well-earned victory by hard work, a clean campaign, my long tenure in office, and a combination of circumstances, for which Judge Spencer is not responsible and which I could not prevent. The ticket which has been named by the voters in the primary is a good one, and will have my hearty support in November.

My many loyal friends in all parts of the County have my lasting gratitude and good wishes.

Very respectfully,

THOS. B. DUDLEY,
Benton, Missouri,
August 6, 1930.

Weeks' Theatre, Dexter, has cut 25c for rest of summer.

C. D. Matthews, Jr., will leave Sunday for a meeting of the Highway Commission at Jefferson City.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Barrett will leave Friday for a ten-day vacation. They will visit at Doniphan and then go on to St. Louis.

Coming to Weeks' Theatre, Dexter, lots of big pictures with stars you Sunday matinee admission adults to want to see. Watch for advertising.

Mrs. Betty Matthews returned from a three days' visit to St. Louis Wednesday. Mrs. Walter Clymer returned to St. Louis Monday, after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Marshall, Jr., and children of Blodgett visited Mrs. Florence Marshall and Miss Kate Austin Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Marshall have just returned from a stay of several weeks in St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Anderson and little daughter will leave the latter part of next week for Jacksonville to spend their vacation. Their little son, who has been visiting his grandmother, will return with his parents.

Mrs. Betty Matthews and granddaughters, Misses Suzanna and Elizabeth Corrigan will start on their vacation of about six weeks. They are planning a trip to the West Coast over the Southern route and will visit several interesting points enroute.



Quality Lumber means

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A building is no better than the quality of the lumber from which it is built. The cheaper grades of lumber do not possess the quality we would recommend for buildings that endure. Years of experience in the lumber business has proven to us that the better grade is cheapest in the end.

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In keeping with the practice of the ANCEL BROS. SERVICE STATION to give its customers the very best service, our NEW CURTIS

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GREASE A CAR IN TEN MINUTES

Not only are we giving quicker service with this new equipment, but we use FIVE DIFFERENT KINDS of greases—insuring the exact grease for every delicate part of your car. We have the greasing specifications for every make of car, and when you come here, you can rest assured that every part of your car is getting the kind of grease that the manufacturer recommends.

CALL 12 AND WE WILL CALL FOR AND DELIVER YOUR CAR
AT NO EXTRA COST

ANCEL BROS. SERVICE STATION

Corner Kingshighway and Center Street



COUNCIL REDUCES TAX ON MUNY COURSE TO \$37.50

The City Council in regular session last Monday night passed an ordinance fixing the city tax on miniature golf courses at \$37.50. The question of the tax had been under discussion for the past week by townspeople, many of who agreed with George Dye, owner of the Wee Way course, that the proposed tax of \$100 was out of proportion. The \$37.50 fee seems to be agreeable.

The Council heard a report of the financial condition of the Sikeston Special Road District presented by E. C. Matthews, and voted to accept the statement. The city financial statement was also read and approved, and ordered published.

The matter of insuring city employees was tabled for future consideration. Lyle Malone presented statistics to the Council on the matter.

The council confirmed the agreement reached between Roger Bailey, city attorney, Mayor Fuchs and the law firm of B. H. Charles of St. Louis in the matter of presenting the Municipal Light Plant election case to the Supreme Court of Missouri. Charles will receive \$1000 if the case is decided favorably, and \$500 if the Court rules that the proposition did not carry.

Routine bills and reports consumed the remaining part of the business session.

We are sorry to report that Louis Scott and his sister, Miss Letha, are still on the sick list.

Mrs. Ben Welter will return to Sikeston Friday from a business trip to St. Louis.

Miss Ruby Evans returned to Sikeston Wednesday night, after a pleasant visit with her parents at Rocheport, Mo.

The Auxiliary of the American Legion held their regular meeting with Mrs. Earl Johnson Wednesday evening, with a large attendance and several visitors present. After the regular business, the election of delegates to the State meeting was held. Mrs. Lyle Malone was elected as a delegate and Mrs. Oscar Carroll as an alternate. The convention will be held in Chillicothe the latter part of August. After the close of the meeting, the Auxiliary enjoyed a social hour. Mrs. Lyle Malone will be hostess for the next meeting to be held Wednesday evening, August 20.

FOR SALE or TRADE—All household furniture for 4 rooms, rugs, etc. Call at Standard office.

FOR RENT—Modern apartment on first floor at the E. J. Keith home on North Ranney. Phone 236.

FOR RENT—Eight-room house on North Ranney Street. All modern in every way.—Dr. I. H. Dunaway, tf.

FOR RENT—My home, 930 North Ranney. Rent reasonable to desirable tenant.—J. P. Whidden, Jonesboro, Ark. 86-tf.

FOUND—An electric drill. Owner can get same by proving property and paying for this notice.—J. Schneider, South Kingshighway.

GRAPES—For all purposes and plenty of them. \$1.00 bushel. Start picking Saturday.—Schenberg & Sons Orchard, on base line road, 3 miles north of Blodgett.

ATTENTION

Cotton Farmers

Save your Crop from the Cotton
Leaf Worn, by dusting with

"Delta" Brand Calcium Arsenate

—FOR SALE BY—

Matthews Bros. Cotton Co.
Sikeston, Mo.

I THANK YOU

I desire to take this method of thanking all my friends and supporters for the fine vote they gave me Tuesday.

If elected in November I shall put forth every effort to deserve the votes of confidence which you have given me.

THANKS

LEO J. PFEFFERKORN

BATTERY CHARGING

We are well equipped to do your Battery Charging.

Promptly—Reasonably Priced

When in trouble Phone us and our trouble
car will be there promptly.

Carroll's Tire Station

U. S. ROYAL Tires Phone 358 SHELL GAS & OILS

COME TO OUR BIRTHDAY PARTY!

Living Room Suites

The very life cut out of good, better and best.

\$245 3 piece suite	\$189.00
175 3 piece suite	135.00
165 3 piece suite	120.00
150 3 piece suite	110.00
135 3 piece suite	95.00
125 3 piece suite	87.50

Our stock of living room suites is about evenly divided between bed suites and the stationery type. All in late designs and colorings

Bedroom Suites

Read the story of price smashing on as pretty lot of bed room assemblys as you have seen in this section.

\$375 bed room suite	\$285
190 bed room suite	135
175 bed room suite	125
125 bed room suite	87.40
85 bed room suite	65.00

There are a number of other desirable suites not listed in this ad.

Dining Suites and Breakfast Sets

The assortment is especially pretty. An auctioneer could probably get more than we ask.

\$150.00 Eight Piece Dining Suite	\$110.00
\$125.00 Eight Piece Dining Suite	\$98.00
\$98.00 Walnut Dinette 6 pieces	\$77.50
\$87.50 Walnut Dinette 6 pieces	\$65.00
\$75.00 Antique Oak Dinette, 6 pieces	\$57.50
\$58.50 Breakfast Set	\$40.00
\$45.00 Breakfast Set	\$32.50
\$37.50 Breakfast Set	\$27.50
\$27.50 Breakfast Set	\$22.50

CELEBRATING WITH BARGAINS

32 YEARS FROM THE STARTING POINT

Our Only Special Sale In the Last 17 Months

The words "Special Sale" in connection with efforts to move merchandise, have been offered. The term has been so frequently used in a deceptive way that many people now pay but slight attention to it. And yet there is a perfectly fair way of carrying on "Special Sale" and certain circumstances make it advisable at times for merchants to use that medium for moving large stocks of desirable merchandise quickly.

This Is One of Those Occasions and if we know furniture values when we see them It Is Going Over With a Bang
Note Prices—See the Goods—Consider Our Service You Do That You'll Be Here—No Doubt About That

Begins Tuesday, August 12th—Lasts One Week

ODDS AND ENDS GO AT A LOSS

Real snaps are in this bunch. Take 'em along.

5 Occasional Chairs each	\$4.95	25 beautiful Occasional Chairs and Rockers, 25% Off	
Choice of fifteen beautiful Junior and Bridge Lamps at exactly Half Price.		\$10.00 Iron Radio Benches	\$5.00
10 27x54, Wilton Rugs, various grades, HALF PRICE.		\$2.25 Iron Radio Benches	\$1.50
Choice of three piece fiber suites, all late patterns, worth up to \$72.50, at \$35 \$42.50 and \$49.00		25 beautiful Plate Mirrors, fancy shapes and patterns, nothing later in any city, while they last	
50 pretty rag rugs, 2x4 feet, usually a dollar.	50c	ONE-THIRD OFF	
50 27x52 Axminster rugs, regular \$3.50, dealers pay more than this for such rugs	\$1.95	\$5 and \$6 oval Axminster and Velvet Rugs	\$3.50
Steel folding cots with cot ton pad, regular \$10	\$7.50	One 60c bottle and one 30c bottle Liquid Veneer	50c
\$9.00 smoker stands	\$5.00	all for	50c
fancy patterns	\$22.50	Number of Florence Ovens for oil stoves, best oven made, regular \$8.50	\$5.00
Baby Carriage	\$15.00		

Re-Conditioned Furniture Worth While

Our traders have been busy for ninety days resulting in a car load of used item which have been put in excellent condition. Here they are for a song—the very items needed by hundred of families.

Late model green enamel Moore's range	\$65.00
One Copper Clad Range	29.00
One Round Oak Chief Range	39.00
One Blue Enamel Moore's Range	49.00
One Moore's Range—with hi-closet	24.00
One Moore's Range—no closet	19.00
One Black Diamond Range	27.50
Five Oak Slide Board	\$7.50, \$10.00, \$12.00 and 14.00
Oak Buffets	\$12.50, \$16.50 and 22.00
Oak China Closets	\$9.50, \$12.00 and 15.00
Library and Davenport Tables	\$6.00, \$9.50, \$12.00 and 14.00
3-piece Davenport Suites	\$27.50 and 35.00
3-piece Oak Bed Room Suite	35.00
3-piece Breakfast Suite, grey	49.00
8-piece Pecan Dining Room Suite, sold new for \$175.00	49.00
Round and Square Oak Dining Tables	\$6.00, \$9.50, \$12.00 and 15.00
Steel Beds	\$2.75, \$5.00 and 6.00
Child's Beds	\$3.50, \$4.50 and 11.50
4-Burner Perfection Stove	15.00
4-Burner Neco Stove, only slightly used	7.50
3-burner Simmons Stove	7.50
10 Moore's and other heaters, all made good	\$10.00 and up

Looking Backward—Forward Too

A lot of water has gone over the dam since we were here 32 years ago. Some of it has been ugly and threatening—some strewn with business—much of it clear and inviting. At that time Cape Girardeau was thought of as a city, Sikeston could scarcely be reached from Charleston except by train, East Prairie was a long way off and Cairo, being rather famous as a good wholesale and retail liquor market, was a considerable importance, possibly more than it is now. Now it is a matter of almost daily routine for a man to install furniture in some of these towns. Comparing present conditions and privileges with those of 32 years ago, one is struck by the fact that in Southeast Missouri. Not every year has been a good one. Obstacles hard to overcome have blocked the paths at times, just as they do now, but Southern merchants and WILL NOT surrender to disappointment. As we glance back at the picture, our feelings of weather various storms. Our faith in the future is still strong, hence our desire to serve increased. As a slight expression of appreciation for patronage, we are putting on one week of price smashing that should set a furniture record for the year. You and your friends are invited to our Birthday Party.

Before the War Mattress Prices

Mail order, chain store or "what you" prices on mattresses have nothing on this sale—in fact these are the lowest figures on staple mattresses in the Mississippi valley.

45 lb. All Cotton, Roll Mattresses	\$5.95
55 lb. felt plated mattress, side stitched, fine quality tick, same as goes on 60 lb mattresses	\$12.50
very special value	

TERMS Every Price Quoted a Cash Price. At a slight increase to cover finance charge you may
PAY BY WEEK OR MONTH
USED GOODS IN PART PAY
FREE DELIVERY ANYWHERE AND RETURN ANYWHERE IN SOUTHEAST MISSOURI

All Summer Goods Must Leave Us

There Are a Few Porch Sets, Porch Swings, Porch Rockers, Refrigerators Electric Fans, Fiber Rugs and so on that MUST SELL.

9x12 Beachcraft Fiber Rugs	\$9.50
8.3x10.6 Oval Fiber Rugs	\$12.50
3-Piece Porch Sets, regular \$25	\$17.50
4 foot porch swings, select timber	\$3.75
5 foot porch swings, select timber	\$5.00
6 foot porch swings, select timber	\$5.75
\$6.00 White Maple Porch Rockers	\$4.25
50 Pound Refrigerator, top icer	\$15.00
\$25.00 Ice Chest	\$17.50

THE LAST OF PIANOS AND PHONOGRAPHS

Many families of modest means are not in a position to own radios. At the "give away" prices on our remaining stock of pianos and phonographs there's no excuse for a home without music.

Oak Wurlitzer Piano in good playing condition	\$45.00
Mahogany Wilson Piano in good shape	\$65.00
12 phonographs, all in good repair, sold new for up to \$300 each, priced in this sale at	
\$8.50 \$12.00 \$25.00 \$35.00 and \$45.00	
This lot of phonographs includes Edisons, Brunswicks, Victors and Columbias, all standard makes.	

WOOL RUGS Floor Coverings

An abundant stock of standard numbers used by average folks. Prices for the week are truly "smashed."

\$39.50 Axminster Rugs 9x12	\$29.50
\$49.50 Axminster Rugs 9x12	\$37.50
\$55.00 Axminster Rugs 9x12	\$40.00
EXTRA—11.3x12 Seamless Axminster Rugs	\$40.00
\$25.00 Brussels Rugs 8.3x10.6	\$18.50
\$32.50 Velvet Rugs 9x12 Rugs	\$25.00

Prices Ripshagged On Linoleum and Felt Base Rugs

LOWEST IN TWELVE YEARS

Standard Linoleum, 12 feet wide several patterns, square yard	75c
Felt Base piece goods, 6 ft. wide	37½c
9x12 Felt Base Rugs nicely finished	\$5.50
9x12 Gold Seal Congoleum rugs	\$7.75
9x12 Sandura Rugs, best ever	\$11.00
EXTRA—EXTRA—11.3x12 Armstrong Felt Base Rugs	\$12.50
EXTRA—EXTRA—12x15 Blabons Genuine Linoleum Rugs	\$18.50
Rugs of this size have been priced at \$27.50 to \$30.00	
Small Congoleum Rugs in proportion	

OIL STOVE PRICES "SMASHED" TOO

\$75 Oil Stoves, range	\$55.00
\$70 Oil Stoves, range	\$50.00
\$65 Oil Stoves, range	\$47.50
\$55 Oil Stoves, range	\$37.50
One Universal Electric range slightly used, cost \$125.00	\$50.00
This range is in A-1 condition	

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SIKESTON STANDARD

C. L. BLANTON, EDITOR

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AT SKESTON, MISSOURI

Entered at the Postoffice at Skeston,
Scott County, Missouri, as second-
class mail matter, according to act
of Congress.

Rates:
Reading notices, per line,.....10c
Bank statements\$10.00
Probate notices, minimum\$ 5.00
Yearly subscription in Scott and the
adjoining counties\$ 1.50
Yearly subscription elsewhere in the
United States\$2.00

The real reason why all Skeston
candidates failed of nomination was
the lack of votes. The next reason
is that Skeston now has holding of-
fice: C. C. White, representative;
George Dempster, coroner; Cecil
Reed, recorder; M. E. Montgomery,
prosecuting attorney; C. E. Felker,
treasurer; T. F. Henry, circuit clerk;
T. B. Dudley, probate judge.

The International Shoe Company
is the biggest stick of candy that
Skeston has ever had given her.
Now, is Skeston just as good as
Santa Claus, by wearing the shoes
manufactured by this company. We
expect not. It is said if the employes
of the International Shoe Company
and their families would wear these
shoes, this alone would keep these
factories running a good part of the
time, without other orders. The In-
ternational should join with mer-
chants who handle their shoes and
try and work up more business in the
cities where these factories are lo-
cated. There are several grades of
these shoes from the finest down.

Our grandchildren are coming
along fine. From Bay City, Mich.,
we learn that Anne Blanton has two
teeth, from Ballston, Va., that Dan
Payne can get his booties off; from
Troy, Mo., that Mary Eugenia Blan-
ton has gained two pounds since
birth, and from Eldorado, Ark., that
Nat and Mary Watkins wanted their
mother to come back to Skeston and
have another operation.

Welch & Co., retail furniture deal-
ers of St. Louis, has been fined \$100
for printing misleading advertise-
ments. This same law might apply
to newspapers who mislead the pub-
lic about their reputed circulation.

The sweating public is still going
strong!

Well, anyway, in the election mix-
up of Tuesday, Skeston saved her
Jewell!

Mrs. Lindsay Brown of Charleston
has been visiting her mother, Mrs.
Frank Sikes, who is ill.

GERARD FOWKE, EXPERT ON INDIAN LORE, HERE MON.

Gerard Fowke, who has written
among other things, a booklet for the
Smithsonian Institution on Archeo-
logical Investigations dealing speci-
fically with Indian remains in the
Ozarks, Southeast and Central Mis-
souri, visited the Ned Matthews
mounds last Monday morning, and
spent a half day examining finds.

In a three-hour conversation with
Mr. Matthews and K. K. Baker,
Fowke expressed the opinion that
the Indians who originally inhabited
this portion of the State were of the
Caddo branch.

After viewing the forty-five or
fifty pieces of pottery, many of the
flints and other items unearthed
Fowke termed as "very rare" and
"remarkable" the tripod vase men-
tioned in former stories.

The investigations on the Mat-
thews farm will probably be halted
this week-end. For the past five or
six days Baker and his assistants
have been working in an old Indian
camp site, and finds have been uni-
formly disappointing. No perfect
pieces of pottery and few flints have
resulted. One find of particular im-
portance was, however, made. A
quantity of parched "Indian Corn" or
maize and a few beans were found.
The corn does not compare with the
modern farm product. Grains are
small, irregular and resemble our
common popcorn.

Many bones of small animals and
birds, fragments of pots and vessels,
and discarded remains have been un-
covered on the camp site or "living
quarters" of the former Skeston
tribe, but very few worthwhile finds
have shown up. Baker and his crew
will spend the rest of this week
working the original mound which so
far has given up the most valuable
finds. Unless another lucky "streak"
is uncovered the work will be
stopped Saturday.

We are in hopes there will be no
soreness out of the disappointments
of Tuesday and that every defeated
candidate and his friends will get be-
hind the winners and help put them
over at the November election.

Cleveland Moore, a negro of St.
Louis, was accidentally killed when
initiated into a lodge of Masons in
that city, by falling out of a blanket
in which he was being tossed as a
part of the lodge work. That was
pretty hard on Brother Moore.

We are not in position to say that
something ought to be done about
this, but it comes to our attention
that one of the many women who
gathered in ten smackers Tuesday
for driving election cars, collected
from two contestants for the same
office, and before the day was over,
worked for a third.

Kennett—New home of Coca-Cola
Bottling Works on Kennett Street,
ready for occupancy.

GUARDSMEN AGREE THAT MEALTIME IS WELCOME AFTER HARD WORK SOLDIERING

Notes jotted down at random by
Sgt. Robert Turner, Co. K, 140th In-
fantry state "we arrived at Camp
Clark at 9:15 Sunday morning, de-
trained at 9:30 o'clock and were in
our company street by 9:45. We find
it cooler up here than at home. At
least we have a nice breeze, but the
water witch has not changed a bit.
Everything is more or less burned
up.

The first two hours of our encamp-
ment were spent in staking down
tents and ditching around them. The
ground is plenty hard, but grass is
still green and crops don't look quite
as sick here.

Dinner is just about ready, and I
think we all have a nice little ap-
petite since we had lunch for supper
and a lunch for breakfast. A hot
meal won't be half bad.

The trip was uneventful, but most
of us enjoyed it anyway.
Yours,
BOB

"Brandy" Payne, one of the mess
sergeants, also pens a few notes. His
remarks about arriving at camp fol-
low the outline of Sgt. Turner close-
ly but his interests are centered on a
different angle of the hot meal men-
tioned by Turner.

"I mean my mess sgt. and I really
gave the boys a real dinner, at least
the boys said 'we could really put
the Fred Harvey to 'em'. From the
looks of things, they are going to
give us plenty to eat.

"Send the papers. Will write more
later.

"Your friend,

"BRANDY"

IN THIS CASE THE PRISONER LEFT THE FRY- ING PAN FOR THE FIRE

Fred Derbin of Portageville was
arrested last Friday night by mar-
shals George DeLisle and Al Adams
of Portageville. The charge was of
minor nature.

Whether or not the cooling system
in the Portageville "cooler" was
working overtime or not was not
stated in the notes of the New Mad-
rid correspondent, but Derbin set the
mattresses and bedding of the jail on
fire, nevertheless. He is now in the
New Madrid county jail facing
charges of arson. Squire Swilley of
Portageville will hear the original
case against Derbin, Thursday.

FIND STOLEN LILBURN CAR IN FLINT, MICHIGAN

New Madrid, August 3.—Jodie
Neal and Sibert Ray of Parma are
in the County jail on a charge of
having stolen a Ford sedan from L.
M. Hill of Lilbourn and driven it to
Flint, Mich., where they abandoned
it. The car was recovered by the po-
lice of Flint, and according to their
information, the boys left it there
and returned to Missouri. Upon
their arrival here, they were arrest-
ed by Deputies Harris and Smith and
lodged in the County jail. They await
a preliminary hearing.

Henry Holmes of New Madrid will
be given a preliminary hearing be-
fore Justice Pete Smith Wednesday
on a charge of felonious assault. It
is alleged that Holmes assaulted a
woman with a club and inflicted a
cut over her eye.

WERE MARRIED FRIDAY

Miss Letha Smith of Seventy-Six,
Mo., a town south of St. Louis, be-
came the bride of Lovell Cox of Mat-
thews last Friday evening at 6:40
o'clock. Rev. A. C. Rudloff perform-
ed the ceremony at the Baptist par-
sonage. The bride taught school last
year at Risco, and will again fill a
position in that place this year. The
couple will live in Matthews.

Wife of Car Victim Dies

Poplar Bluff, August 5.—Mrs. Wm.
Vanderpool died last night while
plans were being made for burial to-
day of her husband, Wm. Vanderpool,
63, building contractor, who was
burned to death when his auto was
wrecked and burned Saturday night.
She was critically ill at the time of
her husband's death, and was never
informed of the tragedy.
A double funeral was held this af-
ternoon.

KERR WINS FIGHT FOR CHAIRMANSHIP IN MADRID

Ambrose Kerr defeated D. D. "Bil-
ly" Finch by an overwhelming ma-
jority for the chairmanship of the
Republican County Committee in
New Madrid Township, according to
word received late Thursday from
Wade Tucker. Kerr won the im-
portant post with practically all Re-
publican office holders opposing him.

Mrs. W. O. Trowbridge and daugh-
ter, Miss Bess Trowbridge, both of
Columbia and Miss Lula Judy of
Buckner, Mo., arrived here Wednes-
day afternoon to spend a few days
with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Trow-
bridge. The visitors will probably
remain until Saturday before con-
tinuing their vacation tour which in-
cludes stopovers in Springfield and
Kansas City.
FOR RENT—Rooms at 228 Trotter
Street.—Mrs. J. W. Wilkins.

Feel Tired ?
Get Back
Your Strength
Dr. Thacker's
Vitamin
SYRUP
GALLOWAY'S DRUG STORE

NO GAME SUNDAY MALONE DECIDES

Due to the fact that the National
Guard trip to Camp Clark has taken
most of the "home" ball players for
two weeks, necessitating hiring out-
of-town players, Manager Tom Ma-
lone decided late Thursday afternoon
to call off the scheduled game here
Sunday with the Cape Girardeau
Capahs. At best, he stated, the
game would cost the Skeston Club
\$75, and the treasury is not in con-
dition to stand that loss.

Misses Margaret Powers of Paris,
Mo., and Irahel Walton, both with a
St. Louis Welfare organization trans-
acted business in Skeston last Sat-
urday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Prosser, Jr., and
little daughter, Sally, of Plant City,
Fla., are visiting Mrs. Prosser's pa-
rents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. H. Wilbur.
Mr. Prosser is leaving this week to
attend the International Apple Ship-
pers' Convention in Grand Rapids,
Michigan.

Onions for storage should be well
ripened and thoroughly cured. Do
not store "thick necks" or those that
are immature or soft. Good storage
onions will rattle almost like blocks
of wood when poured from one con-
tainer to another.

Weeks Theatre

Dexter, Missouri

SU., MON., AUG. 10-11

Sunday—2:30 Admission 15c and 25c
Nights 7:30—Adm. 15c and 35c
"NOT DAMAGED" with Lois Moran,
Walter Byron and Robert Ames. Al-
so NEWS and BROADCAST ACT.

TUESDAY, AUG. 12

"TROOPERS THREE" with Rex
Lease, Dorothy Gulliver, Slim Sum-
merville. 2-reel Talking COMEDY.
Admission 15c and 35c

WED., THURS., AUG. 13-14

"INSIDE THE LINES" with Betty
Compton and Ralph Forbes. Also 2-
reel Talking COMEDY
Admission 15c and 35c

FRI., SAT., AUG. 15-16

"ON THE LEVEL" with Victor Mc-
Laglen, Lilyan Tashman. Comedy
drama. Two-reel talking COMEDY
and sound CARTOON. Admission
10c and 25c

Everyone Can Enjoy
Chaney's Swimming
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Whether you are an expert
swimmer and diver or
just come for a cooling
and refreshing dip, you'll
thoroughly enjoy yourself
at Chaney's Swimming
Pool. Pure water, grad-
uated depths, no undertow
and Life Guards in watch-
ful attendance to insure
absolute safety.

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WE DELIVER

On every order we
deliver free of
charge to your
kitchen.

Phone 271



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Consistent quality food service here is what is winning the women of Skeston with its unusual satisfaction-giving and economy. Always lower prices, based not on lesser quality, but on savings we make in volume selling and buying. Use these savings to make your grocery dollar go pleasingly farther. This should be YOUR grocery.

Grocery Department Specials

BULK TEA, lb.39c

(For making Ice Tea)

GOLDEN DRIP COFFEE, 1 lb.38c

(Best for making Iced Coffee)

Big 4 White Naptha, 5 bars15c

There is no better white Naptha on the mar-
ket. The bar is full size.

PINTO BEANS, 3 lbs.21c

Pride of West Corn, 2 cans23c

Radio Green Beans, 2 cans23c

Radio Fancy Kraut, 3 cans25c

Tomatoes, Fancy Pack, 3 for25c

These tomatoes guaranteed in every respect.
They are superior to those offered at this price
by some of our Foreign owned Competitors.

Fox Fancy Pork & Beans, 3 for25c

Fox Fancy Early Garden Peas,25c

Hominy, Fcy. white kernel,

3 for24c

Turnip Greens, lg. can22c

Spinach, Snider's Fcy., can15c

Quaker Crackels, new

larger pkg.15c

FARMERS ATTENTION!

With each \$3.00 purchase in our
Hardware & Harness Dept. you
may buy

20 lbs. GRANULATED SUGAR
\$1.00

10 years ago 20 lbs. of sugar cost you \$7.00

Yes—Every Friday and Saturday
we sell

3 DOUBLE LOAVES,
Fresh Home Bread25c

Every fruit or vegetable the mar-
ket offers can be obtained from us.
Let Miss Reese help plan your
menu.

FOLKS: We want your trade. We
need it. Give us an opportunity to
prove our prices are right! Our
service is being improved. Our
store is being remodeled, and we
only ask an opportunity to serve
you.

Messrs. Moffatt, Jones, Middleton

Modernization of our store demands a reduction of our stock of
Hardware and Harness. This is an unusual opportunity.
READ EACH ITEM CAREFULLY

1 4-Burner Puritan Oil Stove, was \$ 37.75	special \$ 24.90
1 Ivory Enameled Majestic Range 128.00	special 98.50
1 Green Enameled Majestic Range 138.00	special 102.50

These are priced below cost. Opportunity knocks but once.

Norris No. 5 Leather Collars	were \$6.00	now \$3.75
1 assortment genuine leather collars	were 3.25	now 2.25
1 lot Jim Dandy cloth collars	were 2.50	now 1.75
1 assortment cloth collars	were 1.50	now .98
1½x18 ft. Leather Check Lines	value 4.45	now 3.48

Mr. Farmer: Buy your fall harness now! The saving is worth your while. See
what others ask—then come here and buy!

ROOFING

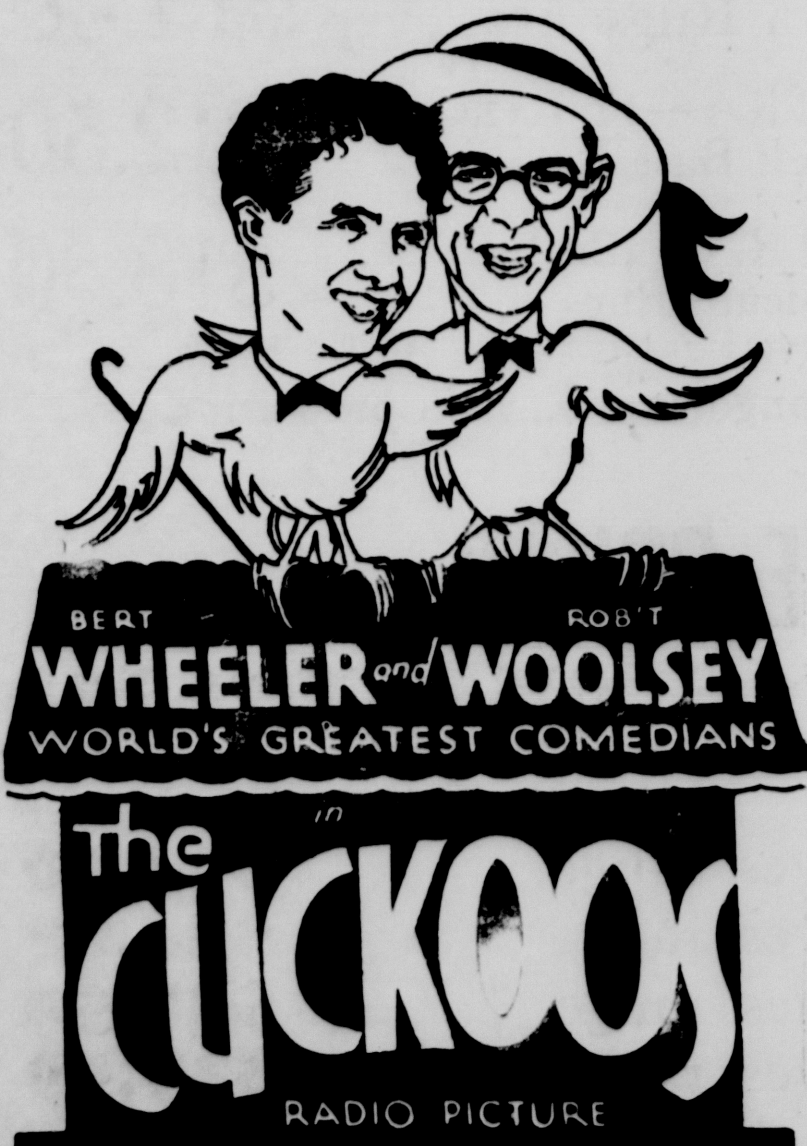
Extra Heavy 3-ply
Rubber Roofing, \$3.25 value

\$2.48

MALONE THEATRE - Skeston

Sunday and Monday
Aug. 10 and 11

AFTERNOON AND EVENING



News and Benny Rubin Comedy

"GENERAL"

Matinee: Sunday 2:30 p. m. Monday 3 p. m.

Large Oaks From Small Acorns Grow---Lair Co. Celebrate Thirty-Second Anniversary

In 1898, a Southeast Missouri woman and her two sons invested the family savings in a small stock of miscellaneous articles, rented a building in Charleston and hung out their shingle "The Lair Variety Store".

Thirty-two years later the same firm with one of the original trio, still at the helm and a junior partner, celebrate their birthday. The small rented building has given place to a modern furniture mart complete in its smallest detail. Its many thousand square feet of floor space are covered with tastefully arranged articles—for display enters into the salesmanship of the Lairs, F. D., the senior member and F. D. Junior.

The year 1900 saw the beginning of the huge furniture selling enterprise. At that time exactly a stock of furniture valued at \$550 was added to the variety store as a sideline. Since that time the sideline grew and eventually crowded out of existence the variety line.

The Lair store management early decided upon progressive merchandising policies. Back in 1906 they started the trade area by adopting the practice of putting up stoves, laying floor coverings and installing other furniture without extra cost. This idea of not being satisfied with ringing up a sale in the cash register and calling it complete found favor with Southeast Missourians, and additional service policies have gone into effect in subsequent years.

Even though economists still argue that time payment plans "ruined" the country, the Lairs found as early as 1908, that weekly and monthly payment plans were favorably received. The Charleston service institution claims credit for inaugurating this system in the furniture and house furnishing line in this part of Missouri. The idea was ad-

vanced another step in the year following when used items as trade-ins on new stock.

In 1911 the Lairs placed the first motor driven furniture delivery van in operation in this district, and in 1912 extended delivery service to farmers in Mississippi and adjoining counties.

A few years ago, Frank, Jr., entered the firm replacing Mrs. Lair and one of the senior members of the firm who had run their three score years and ten. Frank added new ideas and new blood to the already progressive institution.

In addition to being active in the furniture department, he is manager of the Undertaking Department in which a modern ambulance is of public importance. Under his direction this branch of the business has been modernized, and equipped so thoroughly that men familiar with that line claim it to be the outstanding funeral parlor and establishment in the district. The ambulance serves a wide area, and is in charge of careful attendants and experienced drivers.

F. D. Lair has won for himself, an enviable reputation as sage and "horse sense" philosopher in his week to week items termed "Lair Store News". He usually has a group of related articles, timely as to season and usage, but he invariably reflects the opinion of his district or his personality in a pointed paragraph or two. For instance, in his opinion, persons are "disappointed but not discouraged by the present disastrous crops." What is needed, says he, in business is still more hard work, improved service, careful and conservative buying.

The Lair Company's thirty-second birthday announcement takes the form of a double page advertisement in this issue. It might be added that

the Lairs not only believe in service, hard work and careful buying. They advertise consistently—and they rarely complain about "business depression".

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM MORLEY

Mrs. Otto Bugg has been on the sick list the last few days.

Miss Irene McAllister of Blodgett is a guest of Miss Eunice Strayhorn. Mrs. Alford Bryant was a Cape Girardeau shopper the last of the week.

Mrs. Lottie P. Leslie and Mrs. L. C. Leslie were Benton business visitors, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Strayhorn and family moved to the Clark residence, Monday.

Mrs. Rilla Mabe of St. Louis visited last week with her mother, Mrs. Wm. Ervin.

Mrs. Leslie Watson and Miss Marie Esmon were Monday visitors in East Prairie.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Vaughn and children were Cape Girardeau visitors, Tuesday.

Much interest was shown in the election Tuesday and a good turnout of voters reported.

Mrs. Mayme Eskridge of St. Louis visited her mother, Mrs. Elmira Bynum, a few days last week.

Robert, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Asa Bailey, has been very sick with malaria fever for several days.

F. A. Griggs, who suffered a slight stroke of paralysis last week, is improved and able to be up again.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hunter were 6 o'clock dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lett, one evening recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mize of Sikeston are guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. Burette Chostner and children of Cape Girardeau spent Sunday at the J. O. Brasher home.

Carl Bailey of near Clarkton has been visiting relatives and former schoolmates here the past few days.

Mrs. Tom Ervin returned Saturday from Doniphan, where she attended a camp meeting of the Church of God. Misses Sarah Daugherty and Janice Emerson are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Joyce in Vanduser this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Mayfield and children and Edwin Statler of Jackson were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Zimmerman.

Miss Eva Mize of Cape Girardeau is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Mize and recuperating from a tonsil operation.

Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Anthony and little daughter, Margaret, and Mrs. Frank Stranks, all of Sikeston, visited at the L. L. Hunter home, Friday.

Mrs. Harrison, mother of Mrs. Jake Baer, died Tuesday and was buried Wednesday, Rev. C. W. Miller in charge of the service, which were held at the cemetery.

Mrs. Lottie Leslie, Mrs. R. Vaughn, Mrs. C. W. Miller and Mrs. C. A. Stallings went to Sikeston Wednesday morning to attend the W. M. U. Institute of Charleston Association.

Mrs. A. H. Holman and daughter, Helen, of Portageville, returned to their home Sunday, accompanied by Miss Mildred Huffstetler, following a four-day visit at the Huffstetler home.

Mrs. Maude Daugherty and son, Will, left Tuesday for Farmington to visit Mrs. Howard Miller and bring home her daughters, Maxine and June, who have been there the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Darter left the last of the week for their home in Racine, Wis., after an extended visit with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Foster, during which time it was necessary for Mrs. Darter to undergo a major operation.

PAT NOONAN IN AUTO WRECK TUESDAY EVENING

Pat Noonan, Survey Chief of the local Division 10 office and his three children were involved in a minor automobile accident on Highway 61 near Grays Ridge about 5 o'clock Tuesday evening. Noonan and Patrick, Jr., suffered minor bruises and cuts about the head. The other two children escaped with lesser injuries.

Noonan stated that his three youngsters "wanted to take a ride" when he started to work after the noon meal. He was returning home when the car swerved in loose gravel, turning over completely. A passing Sikestonian picked up the injured and ailing and brought them to the city.

During the World War 37,568 States soldiers were killed in action. In 1929, 33,061 lost their lives in the United States in automobile accidents. What do you think about it?

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM NEW MADRID

Robert King of Portageville visited friends here, Sunday.

Edwin McCaine of Caruthersville visited friends here, Sunday.

Miss Lucille Sloas is assisting in the Circuit Clerk's office this week.

Mrs. J. A. Sutterfield of Sikeston was a New Madrid visitor Tuesday. Dee Roling of Charleston was a guest in the Shap Hunter, Jr., home Sunday.

Bill Smith of Sikeston is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Charles Berthe, this week.

T. G. Wilson and B. F. Petty attended the Malone Theatre in Sikeston, Sunday.

Miss Josephine Robbins was a dinner guest in the Wm. Dawson home Saturday evening.

Miss Geraldine DeLisle, Deputy Circuit Clerk, spent Tuesday with her parents in Portageville.

Miss Ella Helen Smith of Sikeston spent the week-end here with her sister, Mrs. Charles Berthe.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Warlick and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hunter attended the theatre in Sikeston Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan McCoy of Puxico were Sunday visitors of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Beck.

Miss Dolly Boone was the charming hostess to several of her friends with two tables of bridge, Saturday afternoon.

George Boone, who is stationed on a government boat near Island No. 8, spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Boone.

Miss Ruth LaFont of St. Louis, spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus La Font. Sunday she visited relatives in Portageville.

Ed and Jake Chalker, who have been employed with Wilbanks & Pierce Const. Co. doing levee work here, have resigned their position, and will leave the latter part of the week for their home in Florida.

Miss Laura Riley was hostess to a large number of the young society set Monday evening, with a party at the De Luxe Confectionery, where dancing was enjoyed until a late hour, at which time a refreshing lunch was served.

The Board of Directors of Cons. School Dist. No. 9, met Monday evening and elected Clement Emil Koerber of Cape Girardeau to fill the vacancy of principal in the high school, caused by the resignation of Miss Anna Johnson.

The contract for the colored school was awarded at a meeting of the Board of Directors Monday evening, to LeSieur and McBaine of Lilbourn. Work of building an addition to the present colored school building will be started at once.

Otis Dowdy, employed on the new high school building, motored to Cape Girardeau Sunday and was united in marriage to Miss Elsie McClure of Dexter. The couple will spend a week's honeymoon in New Madrid, after which Mrs. Dowdy will leave for Dexter, where she will be employed in the public school system this year.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM MATTHEWS

Little Betty Jo Deane is very ill at this writing.

The election here passed off very quietly with only a fairly large crowd in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Stroud and children are visiting with relatives in Evansville, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Hall of near Kewanee visited Mr. and Mrs. Brit McGee, Wednesday.

J. Lumsden and son, Hubert, of Canolou spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lumsden.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Deane and little grandson, Ralph, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Alsop motored near Morley Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Mainord and children, Miss Madge and O. K., Jr., of New Madrid, were Matthews visitors Monday evening.

Misses Margie and Irish Burch and Joe Lindensmith motored to Evansville, Ind., Wednesday to spend a few days visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Davidson and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Grissom and Miss Ruby Grissom went to Arkansas Saturday to visit relatives.



An electric iron affords the greatest convenience of any household appliance.

PIGGLY WIGGLY

"THE MODERN WAY"

HEAD LETTUCE, lb.20c

CARROTS, per bunch4c

Green Beans, 2 lbs.25c

Lemons, 360 size, per doz.39

EGG PLANT

CELERY, 2 stalks15c

BEETS, per bunch4c

Fresh Tomatoes, basket20c

Fresh Corn, tender, full ears, per doz.30c

CAULIFLOWER



"Good to the last drop"

1 lb. cans38c

3 lb. cans\$1.14

All Flavors

3 for

20c



P. & G. SOAP, 3 bars10c

Oxydol, small size, 2 for15c

H. & K. Coffee, lb. can38c

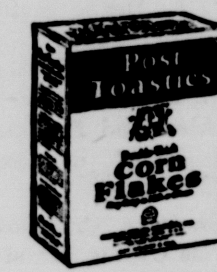
Milk, all kinds, tall cans, 3 for25c

Lux Toilet Soap, 3 bars20c

Super Suds, 3 pkgs.25c

Santos Peaberry Coffee, 1 lb. pkg.25c

Army and Navy Cocoa hard water soap, 2 bars15c



Small Pkgs.

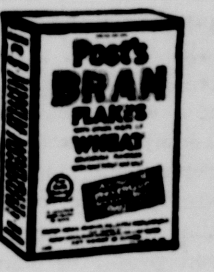
3 for 20c

Large Pkgs.

2 for 21c

2 Packages

22c



Campbell's Pork & Beans, 3 for22c

Corn, med. tin, 3 for25c

Domino Pure Cane Sugar, 25 lb. cloth bag\$1.34

MARKET

BEEF ROAST,21c

BEEF STEW15c

SPARE RIBS15c

Cured Hams, skinned, 1/2 or whole28c

DRY SALT CHUNK12 1/2c

Pork Shoulder Roast22c

PORK SAUSAGE, pure18c

PURE HOG LARD12 1/2c

Sugar Cured Bacon, 1/2 or whole25c

DRY SALT SIDE19c

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday school—9:30 o'clock.

Morning services at 11:00 o'clock.

Sermon: "Honor thy Father and thy Mother".

The Intermediate, Young People's and Adult Endeavor groups meet at 6:30. Evening services at 8 o'clock, sermon: "Thou Shalt Not Kill".

LUTHERAN CHURCH

Regular church services will be conducted Sunday at the Lutheran church. Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Regular morning worship at 10:30 o'clock.

The Standard \$1.50 per year.

Quick Loans

You can borrow up to \$300 from us under our complete, confidential loan service for the family and single person. Let us help you with your money problems. Call, phone or write.

Public Loan Corp.
Cape Girardeau

No Endorsers Required

Mentzville—Vance L. Ringe purchased interest of J. W. Ruhl Ford Motor Company.

Fredericktown—W. B. Cole received contract for paving business streets surrounding public square.

To the Voters of Scott County

I wish to express to the voters of Scott County my sincere appreciation for their support in my race for County Clerk, at the election Tuesday, August 5th, and if elected to this office in November, I will continue the practice of courtesy and service at all times.

Faithfully yours,

J. Sherwood Smith
County Clerk

Announcement of Appreciation

I wish to express my thanks to the voters of Scott County for renominating me to the office of Collector of Revenue.

I appreciate the loyal support of my friends which resulted in the splendid vote I received at the Primary Election August 5th.

If elected in November, I promise you the same courteous treatment, prompt and efficient service that has always been given you during my term of office.

Very truly yours,

EMIL STECK

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM BLODGETT

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Vickery of Akron, Ohio, are visiting relatives here.

Glyde McCallister has returned from St. Louis, where he has been employed since March.

Mrs. E. J. Neinstedt and Mrs. E. R. Putnam and children visited with friends and relatives at Charleston, Friday.

There has been several car loads of melons and hay loaded here this week. Mr. Armstrong of Cape Girardeau bought them.

Coming To DEXTER and CAPE GIRARDEAU

DR. DIETERICH
SPECIAL ATTENTION
in internal medicine

DOES NOT OPERATE

Will be in
Dexter on Friday and Saturday,
August 8 and 9 at the Jeffersonian
Hotel ONE DAY. Hours: 10-3 and
in Cape Girardeau on Monday and
Tuesday, August 11 and 12, at the St.
Charles Hotel from 10 a. m. to 4 p.
m. TWO DAYS ONLY

No Charge for Consultation

Many in this community will avail themselves of the opportunity to visit Dr. Dieterich on this special visit to Dexter and Cape Girardeau. The doctor pays special attention to the SCIENCE OF INTERNAL MEDICINE AND DIETETICS. He is trying conscientiously to eliminate surgery in his treatment of disease as far as possible.

He has to his credit many wonderful results in diseases of stomach, (especially ulcers), glands (especially goitre), ailments of women, diseases of liver and bowels, as infected gall bladder, gall stones, appendicitis, chronic constipation, colitis, auto-intoxication and rectal ailments, circulation disturbances as high or low blood pressure, heart and blood disorders, skin, nerves, bladder, kidneys, bed-wetting, weak lungs, tonsils, adenoids, metabolic disturbances such as Rheumatism, sciatica, leg ulcers and chronic catarrh.

Medicines are prescribed and prepared for each individual case in his private laboratory, also special attention given to diet as to proper balance and selection of foods.

Diseases of the eyes treated and glasses fitted.

GIVE YOUR EYES THE VERY BEST

For this service a nominal charge is made.

Dr. Dieterich is a regular graduate in medicine and surgery and is licensed by the State of Missouri.

MARRIED WOMEN MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY THEIR HUSBANDS, AND MINORS BY THEIR PARENTS.

Address: 332-336 Boston Block, Minneapolis, Minnesota.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Spencer were in town Tuesday on business.

Dr. Cannon and family were in Blodgett, Saturday on business.

Speaking of sitters, Blodgett has them too, but they are too lazy to climb a tree.

Mrs. E. C. Graham and son and Mrs. Harry Stubbs shopped in Skeston Wednesday.

Mrs. Jene Pratt of St. Charles, La., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Marshall.

Claude Holmes and son, Harold of Blytheville, Ark., are visiting at the W. W. Lemons home.

J. W. Parker made a business trip to Fredericktown, Farmington and nearby towns last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Sadler and baby of Wilson, Ark., are visiting their parents this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Marshall and baby of Morley were week-end guests of Alfred's parents here.

Audrey Reams of Memphis, Tenn., and his sisters of St. Louis are here for a visit with their mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Marshall took their baby to Cape Girardeau Wednesday to consult a doctor.

Mrs. E. J. Neinstedt and Louise and Mrs. E. R. Putnam and children were Cape Girardeau shoppers Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stubbs and family, and Dr. F. L. Ogilvie were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Huey, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Nunnelee and family visited John Fred Nunnelee at Jefferson Barracks, Sunday. John Fred is in C. M. T. C. camp there.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Blackwell and family and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Clippard and family left Sunday for a week's fishing trip in Wayne County.

Dr. and Mrs. Bradford of Lincoln, Ill., visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ike Marshall, this week. Mrs. Bradford is better known as Miss Lessie Marshall.

The body of William White, formerly of Diehlstadt, was brought here Saturday for burial. Mr. White was injured at Brunswick, Mo., July 13, and died at Woodland Hospital, Moberly, July 30. He was employed by the Kansas City Bridge Co. at the time of the accident. Besides his mother, one brother and three half-brothers of St. Louis, he leaves a half brother, Harvey Huey and sister, Mrs. Cal Spencer, of Blodgett.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM MATTHEWS

Rev. O. P. Swope preached at the M. E. Church, Sunday.

Lavelle Cox motored to Cape Girardeau Friday evening.

Tom Burch of Detroit, Mich., is here visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Zimmer were Skeston shoppers, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy of Canalou were in Matthews Saturday evening.

Rub Johnson of New Madrid spent the week-end with his wife and children.

W. Wilson of near Canalou was in Matthews Sunday to attend the ball game.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Holderby motored to Caruthersville Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Forese and children visited with relatives in Skeston, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Englehart and little son were Cape Girardeau visitors, Thursday.

Little Laura Anna Dickey of Memphis, Tenn., is visiting with her aunt, Mrs. J. H. Turnage.

Mrs. Joe Caruthers and children and Mrs. Leasel Caruthers shopped in Skeston, Saturday.

Mrs. W. Zimmer is at home after attending college for the past summer in Cape Girardeau.

Miss Verna King and John Sells went to Lilbourn Friday and Saturday to take teachers' examinations.

Little Abbey Lee Daugherty of Skeston is visiting with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Daugherty.

Bob and Lester King returned last Friday from Tennessee, where they have been visiting their brother, Roy King.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Warren and little son, Jean Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Shell were Skeston visitors, Saturday.

Mrs. W. H. Deane, Wm. Deane, Jr., and Mrs. Roy Alsop motored to Canalou Friday to attend the funeral of Seth Thomas Nelson.

A large number of young folks enjoyed a picnic and swim at the east ditch Friday evening. All reported having a very enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. King went to Tennessee Saturday, where they will spend a few weeks with their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Roy King.

Mrs. Lila Lowe, Miss Mildred Nelson of Canalou and H. Nelson of Trenton, Mich., were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Deane, Sunday.

A very interesting game of baseball was played here Sunday afternoon with Risco. The score was 9-7 in favor of Matthews. A large crowd witnessed the game.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Deane motored to Cape Girardeau Sunday to spend the day with their daughter, Mrs. Aubrey Lurmit, and to get their daughters, Misses Alice and Frankie, who have attended school in that city this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Critchlow and children and Miss Glenda Waters left Friday morning for a four weeks' tour in the west. They will visit Yellow Stone National Park while on their trip. They plan to be back by September 1.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM NEW MADRID

Alfred Stepp is expected home Monday, after a week's business trip in St. Louis.

Clara Drinkwater, County Nurse, spent the week-end with her parents in Charleston.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus LaFont and family moved to their new home on Davis Street this week.

Lee Hummel returned Saturday from Chicago, where he looked after business matters.

Mrs. Dan McCoy of Puxico is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bock for a few days.

Miss Martha Lee Hall of Blytheville, Ark., is the guest of her cousin, Miss Harriett Judge.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Chesire and Mrs. Charles Berthe were Skeston visitors Friday afternoon.

Miss Catherine O'Donnell of St. Louis is the guest on the A. B. Hunter farm at LaForge this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Conway of Bonne Terre are visiting their daughter, Miss Dorothy, of the Orchid Beauty Parlor.

Walter Matthews of St. Louis arrived Friday night for a visit with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Peck and family.

Miss Laura Louise Robbins of St. Louis is visiting her father and other relatives on the Robbins plantation near Marston.

Supt. Ralph McCullough arrived Saturday from Columbia, where he attended the summer term at the University of Missouri.

Miss Cathrine Jane Mitchell and brother, C. A., Jr., of Memphis, Tenn., are visiting their aunt, Mrs. H. G. Sharp and family.

Wm. Dawson, Jr., and Misses Laura and Virginia Peck and Kathryn Matthews spent the day in Memphis, Tenn., last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Shainberg and children and sister, Miss Gertrude Shainberg, returned Thursday, after a week's visit with relatives and friends in St. Louis.

Dr. and Mrs. Paul O. Huth of Cambridge, Ohio, arrived Saturday for a few days' visit to the latter's mother, Mrs. Clay Hunter at La Forge. Mrs. Huth will be remembered as Miss Marie Hunter.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Chesire, accompanied by Mrs. Bidwell and daughter, Joann, and Mrs. Charles Berthe attended the Malone Theatre in Skeston Thursday.

Miss Harriett Hunter left Saturday for Washington, D. C., where she is a student nurse, after spending a two weeks' vacation here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hunter, Jr.

Miss Helen Halter, assistant postmistress for the past year, has resigned her position and returned to her home in Golconda, Ill., Saturday, where she will reside with her parents.

Miss Margaret Mary Hunter has resigned her position as stenographer in the Scott County Milling Co., at Skeston and is at home here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Shap Hunter, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Oglesby and daughter, Miss Ansel of Deerfield, Fla., arrived the latter part of the week and will spend several weeks here with their daughter, Mrs. Alfred Stepp and family.

Mrs. Ambrose Kerr and small daughter motored to Cape Girardeau Saturday to accompany home another daughter, Miss Irene, who has been attending the summer term at the State Teachers College, Cape Girardeau.

Miss Florence Crisler will arrive home the early part of the week to spend the rest of the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Crisler. Miss Florence attended the summer term at Missouri University, Columbia.

Among those who attended the Cole Bros. Circus at Skeston Friday evening were: Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Baynes and family, Mr. and Mrs. M. Grimes, Mr. and Mrs. Norvel Reddick and family, Miss Alice Berryman and E. S. White.

The following young people enjoyed dancing by the radio at the home of Miss Mildred Galloway Thursday evening: Misses Mary Hunter, Laura Allen, Laura Lee and Agnes Hunter, Alice Berryman, Herman Crisler, Pinnell Hunter, Rex Igo, Joe Wiley, Ted Eisan and J. Strickland.

The city of New Madrid is being sued for \$6000 damages by Rose Williams, colored woman, who alleges that her grandson fell on a bad crossing and injured his arm, side and head, a year ago, and they are still troubling him. She is suing for \$5000 for the boy's injuries and \$1,000 for her care of him during the year.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM MOREHOUSE

Matt Hunter of Moline, Ill., is visiting Harry Hunter.

Kirt Todd of Owensboro, Ky., visited friends in Morehouse last week.

Buck Tickell of Poplar Bluff is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Tickell.

Miss Gertrude Crumpecker of Cape Girardeau spent the week-end in Canalou.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Stanley of New Madrid visited friends in Morehouse last week.

Miss Lucille McDonnough and Miss Leda Mae Daugherty of Morley were Morehouse visitors, Monday.

Baker Headlee of Wichita, Kas., is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Headlee.

Mrs. Brooks Pinnell and family of Caruthersville are spending this week as guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Tickell.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Wofford and Nada Wofford of Cape Girardeau were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ducky Wofford, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Mosley and family and Miss Helen Mosley of Cleveland, Ohio were guests of Mrs. Caleb Reynolds last week.

Miss Catherine Fisher was the guest of Miss Melba Hudson and Margaret Himmelberger of Cape Girardeau over the week-end.

Slim Farris and family, former residents of Morehouse, but who for the past five years resided in Risco, returned to Morehouse Saturday to make their future home.

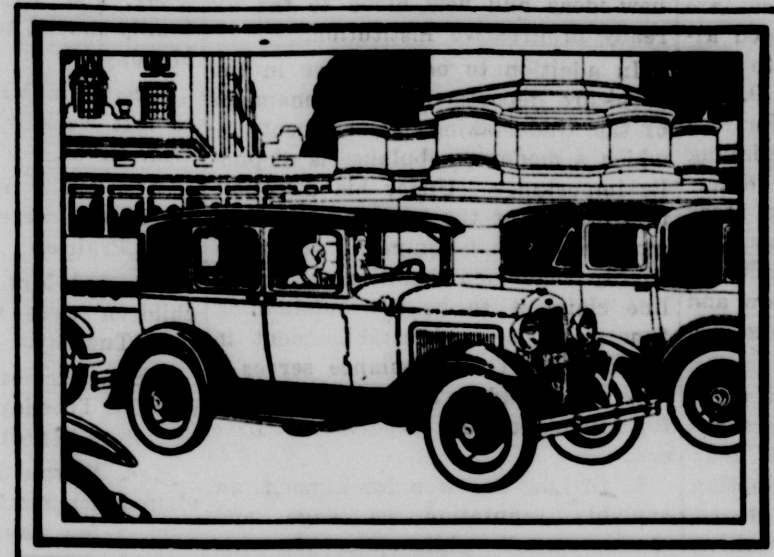
Mr. and Mrs. John Himmelberger spent Sunday in Cape Girardeau as guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Himmelberger, Sr. They were accompanied by Mrs. G. R. Fisher, who has been in Cape Girardeau for the past two weeks.

Mrs. Ducky Wofford entertained with a stag party Friday, August 1 in honor of her husband's birthday. Those present were: D. L. Fisher, E. V. Darnell, Charlie Albright, Harry Dillon, John Spence, Jr., John Parrish, Russell Bienert and Dode Hart.

TRUSTEE'S SALE

Default having been made in payment of principal and interest, secured by note described in deed of trust, executed by Ethel Carr and Alf Carr, dated March 28th, 1929, and recorded on the 19th day of April, 1929, in office of the Recorder

Meeting the Needs of Millions of People



The low-priced automobile has brought greater opportunity and added hours of recreation to millions of men and women.

BECAUSE the automobile is such an important factor in the lives and prosperity of so many people, the purpose of the Ford Motor Company is something more than the mere manufacture of a motor car.

There is no service in simply setting up a machine or a plant and letting it turn out goods. The service extends into every detail of the business — design, production, the wages paid and the selling price. All are a part of the plan.

The Ford Motor Company looks upon itself as charged with making an automobile that will meet the needs of millions of people and to provide it at a low price. That is its mission. That is its duty and its obligation to the public.

The search for better ways of doing things is never-ending. There is ceaseless, untiring effort to find new methods and new machines that will save steps and time in manufacturing. The Ford plants are, in reality, a great mechanical university, dedicated to the advancement of industry. Many manufacturers come to see and share the progress made.

The greatest progress comes by never standing still. Today's methods, however successful, can never be taken as wholly right. They represent simply the best efforts of the moment. Tomorrow must bring an improve-

ment in the methods of the day before. Hard work usually finds the way.

Once it was thought impossible to cast gray iron by the endless chain method. All precedent was against it and every previous experiment had failed. But fair prices to the public demanded that wasteful methods be eliminated. Finally the way was found.

A better way of making axle shafts saved thirty-six million dollars in four years. A new method of cutting crankshafts reduced the cost by \$500,000 a year. The perfection of a new machine saved a similar amount on such a little thing as one bolt. Then electric welding was developed to make many bolts unnecessary and to increase structural strength.

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All of these things are done in the interest of the public — so that the benefits of reliable, economical transportation may be placed within the means of every one.



FORD MOTOR COMPANY

of Deeds for Scott County, Missouri, at Benton, Missouri, in Book Number 59, Page 176, conveying to the undersigned the following described real estate and improvements thereon, in the County of Scott and State of Missouri, to-wit:

All of Lot Three (3), Block Eight (8), Chamber of Commerce Addition to the City of Skeston, Scott County, Missouri.

Now in accordance with the terms and conditions of said note and deed of trust and the legal holder and owner of said note and deed of trust, having declared the whole debt due as secured thereby, and demand having been made for payment of principal and interest now due on said note and deed of trust, I will, at the request of said legal holder and owner, on

SATURDAY, AUGUST NINTH, 1930,

between the hours of 9 a. m. and 5 p. m. of said day sell the above described property to the highest bidder for cash at the front door of the Court House in Benton, Mo., for the purpose of satisfying said debt and costs.

M. G. GRESHAM, Trustee.

NOTICE OF SALE UNDER SPECIAL EXECUTION

By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court in and for the County of Scott and State of Missouri, returnable to the August, 1930, term of said court, and to me directed, wherein the St. Louis Joint Stock Land Bank of St. Louis, a corporation, is plaintiff and Fred Dierssen, Maud Dierssen, Southeast Missouri Trust Company, a corporation of Cape Girardeau, P. N. Keller, Trustee, First National Bank of Chaffee, a corporation and W. M. Moit, are defendants, I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate and personal property, situate in said County of Scott

and State of Missouri, described in the decree of the Circuit Court of Scott County, Missouri, dated March 20th, 1930, which decree foreclosed a deed of trust and resulted in personal judgment against the defendants, Fred Dierssen and Maud Dierssen, to-wit:

The Northeast Quarter of Section Twelve (12), Township Twenty-nine (29) North, of Range Twelve (12) East of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres, more or less, in Scott County, Missouri, together with all rents, issues, profits, crops and improvements thereon and all growing crops.

And I will on

MONDAY, AUGUST 11TH, 1930

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of said day at the east door of the Court House in said County and State, sell at public auction, for cash in hand to the highest bidder the property described to satisfy said execution and costs.

Dated at Benton, Missouri, this 8th day of July, 1930.

T. M. SCOTT, Sheriff, Scott County, Missouri
H. C. Blanton, Attorney for Plaintiff.

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